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THE

BARRACKMAN - BARKMAN - BAREKMAN

FAMILY OF

KNOX COUNTY, INDIANA

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DEDICATED TO

DEBRA LEE DAVIS WHO'S
GREAT-GREAT-GREAT-GREAT-
GREAT-GRAND FATHER WAS
PETER BARRACKMAN.

DEBRA LEE WAS BORN IN
SANDI JAPAN IN 1956- THE
DAUGHTER OF BARBARA SHIRLEY
SCHOFDT AND PVT. ROBERT LEE
DAVIS. PVT. DAVIS WAS STATIONED
THERE IN DEFENSE OF HIS COUNTY
AS PETER BARRACKMAN SERVED HIS
COUNTY IN THE COLONIAL FRENCH-
INDIAN WARS IN MARYLAND IN
1767.

THIS BOOK IS ALSO DEDICATED
TO ALL YOUNG BAREKMANS WHO
WE HOPE WILL REALIZE THEIR
TRULY WONDERFUL AMERICAN
HERITAGE. MAY THEY CONTINUE
MY INTEREST IN AMERICAN
HISTORY AND GENEALOGY.

AND-DEDICATED TO THE
FRANCOIS VIGO CHAPTER OF
THE D. A. R. AT VINCENNES,
INDIAN. THE HOME OF SO
MANY, MANY EARLY AND BRAVE
AMERICAN PARTIOTS.

June B. Barekman

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Credits Given

To my cousin's Ruth and Marian Berekman, who researched Illinois records for me. To Ruth who handled my typing, on all records, enabling me to devote time to research. My entire thanks to my cousins.

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To Berekmans and related families all over America. Their cooperation was splendid. So I dedicate to each of you this genealogy of our family.

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To Alta Ansler of the Francois Vigo Chapter of the D. A. B. Vincennes. To Rev. Joseph Seass. To Mrs. Rayn Takali and Miss Katherine and Mr. Marlin Williams of the clerk's office. All generously gave me their time.

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And last but not least—every one in Vincennes who kindly gave me information, wrote to me and talked to me while I researched in Indiana.

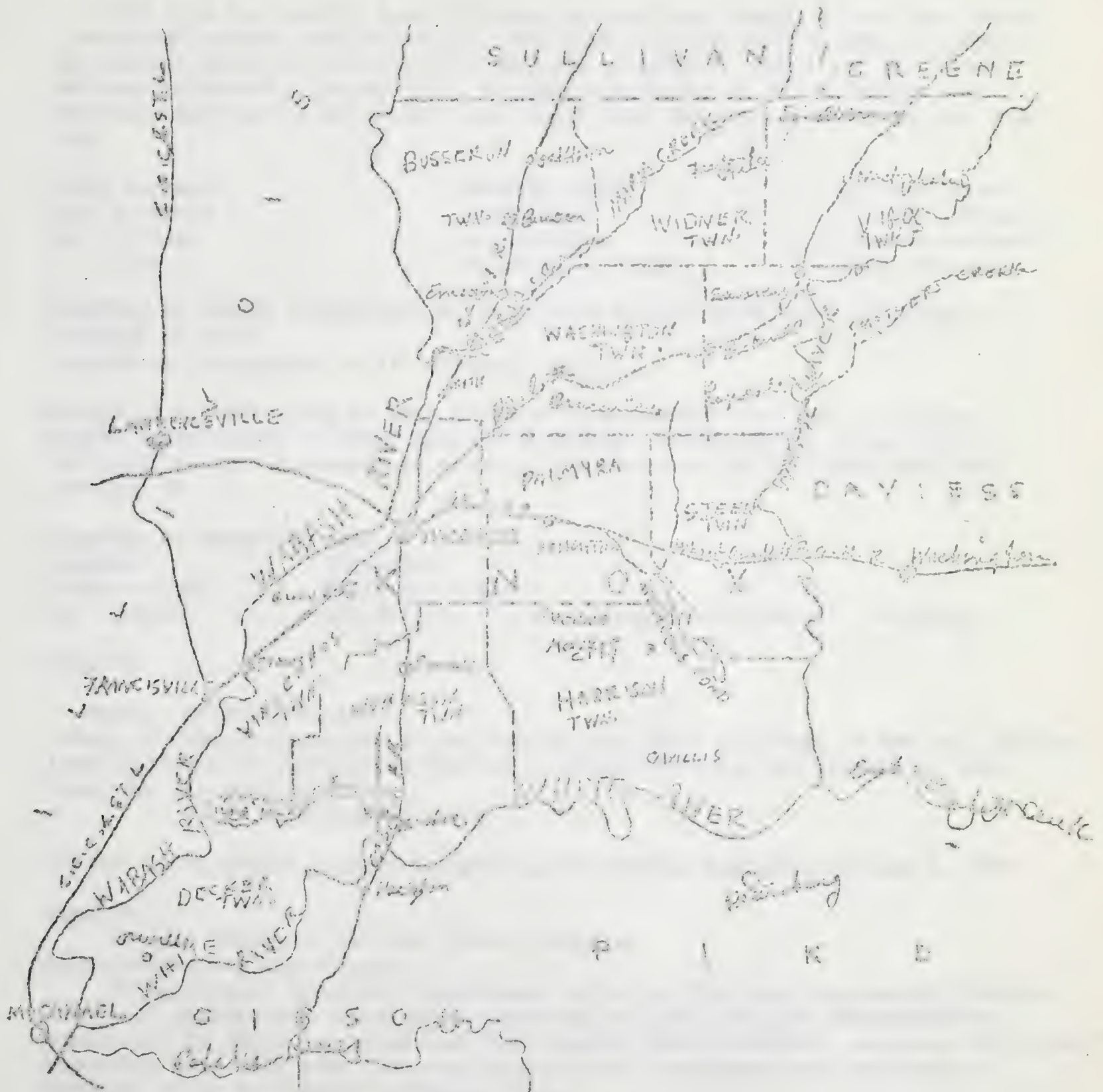
This book would not be possible with out the helping hand of friendly people in a friendly land.

Sincerely

June B. Berekman

June B. Berekman





EARLY KNOX COUNTY, INDIANA COUNTY RECORDS

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The Petitions of a number of the citizens of the County of Knox.

To the worshipful, the judges and justices of the Court of Common Pleas and quarter session sheweth.

The road now leading from Vincennes to the Grand Rapids of the Ohio being a matter of publick utility and we, your humble petitioners willing to promote the publick good, do herefore pray that the worshipful judges and justices of the court aforesaid, for and order to clear out repair to erect bridges and crossways thereon as far as the lower sugar loaf and your petitioners will over pray.

Henry Barkman
John Westfall
Jos. William
R. Clilen

Michael Thorn
John Small
Ed Johnston
Christopher Wyant

Ephraim Jordan
Jonathan Morney
Abraham Barkman
Isaac Westfall.

PETITION OF SUNDRY INHABITANTS OF THE COUNTY TO THE COURT FOR A ROAD TERM, NOVEMBER OF 1798.

(copied as it appeared in its original form.)

Return of the valuation of each house in town townlett and lett or mantien House in the County of Knox, Indiana Territory. Water Mills, Wind Mills in the said County. Agreeable to a Law of the Territory in that case made and provided V2.

Property or occupants name	Valuation		
Vacator	Mills in Dollars		
House or Lett			
Abe Barkman	200 dollars	Vincennes Township	No Date.

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(amount of certificate)

Amount of certificate given to individuals for labor performed on the road leading from Vincennes to White River Station in Decker Township for payment of Road Taxes for the year of 1816.

To John Barkman 0.62½

Phillip Catts return as Road Supervisor for Decker Township, October 1, 1816

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To John Ocheltree and Geo. Leech, esquires
Commissioners of Knox County.

The petitions of sundry inhabitants of Decker Town ship respectfully sheweth that your petitioners labour under continued difficulties and inconveniences occasioned by the great extent and ill shape of their township, and pray that your honorable body will take into consideration the expediency and propriety of dividing it in the manner following, viz.:

Beginning on the back of the White River above James Purcell's place and running up the cypress swam till it strikes the river Deshee, and then from thence up to the great marshy prairie which runs past Friedrich Meale to where Vincennes Township line crosses said marsh, and also that you will order an election of one justice of the peace in said township. And your petitioners will pray and so

forth, July 5, 1817



(listed on back of petition are 34 names, among them:

Abraham Barkman Henry Barickman. Petition for the Division of
Docker Township. Filed & Entered November 10, 1817.

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Hart Street Road

The Honorables - the Commissioners in and for the Court of Knox at their meeting to be holden at the Court House in Vincennes on Second Monday, November next.

The petitioners of the undersigned citizens of the County, aforesaid respectfully sheweth.

That where as the road now leading from Vincennes to White River are in many respects exceptionably, particularly the one leading to Dockers Ferry, which is by no means adapted to the general accommodations of the County and Borough of Vincennes. It is in the first place more circuitous than there is any necessity for, and in the second place it passes over some sliding hills which might be shunned, and through the pond in back of Vincennes, in a very muddy and swampy place, which at certain seasons is almost impassable. your honorable petitioners therefore pray that your honorable body will grant an Order for a road, leading from Market Street, thence crossing the Pond at Wallace Budge, thence by "Abraham Barkmans", David Reel, Elias Seedler, Startk Mill and to the interset of the Road leading to Louisville. the nearest and best way. Vincennes Sept. 22. 1817. by John Barkman.

Road Petition 15. To cross pond at Wallace Budge.
Entered 11-10-1817.

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State of Indiana, Knox County, Johnson Township 2-23-1840

We, the undersigned petitioners, pray the Honorable Board of Knox County Commissioners for a Vacation uv a part uv a county road, leading from Michels Thornes, thence to Fredrick Mail's to the Township line of Vincennes neare where the old pore house ust to stand.

Judge John Barkman
Andrew Barkman
Abe Jr Barkman
Joshua Barkman
Henry Jr Barkman

Isaac Mail
Albert Barkman
Ephraim Jordan
----- Barkman
James Barkman

(These above are 3rd generation Barkmans in Knox County, Indiana)

Filed 3-2-1840 W. R. McCord CLK

Early Court Records Feb 27th 1847

The changing Road ranning Hist Mill thru George Leeches land and around west end of farm to Vincennes signed by Aaron Kirk Isaac Kirk Mr Ruffman
Julia Kirk sister of Jane Kirk wife of Thomas Barkman

Aug 1833 Road leading from Moses Catts to Little Rock Nabash as laid out and opened as a county road interferes naturally with his farms of Jacob Jacobus - Jacob Anthia, by cutting thru Diagonally, by changing it about 150 yards it will not injure anyone but benefits Jacobus and Anthia. New Road at Bayon between Jacob Jacobus and Jacob Anthia to run left following back of Bayon to line between Jacobus and the Line to Isaac Deekes.



Signed

Martin Anthis
Jacob Anthis
George Anthis
Jacob Jacobus

(Anthis and Jacobus marry into Hazekman family.

The Kirk - Anthis - and Jacobus men all fought in various wars from Pennsylvania and Virginia in the Revolutionary War of 1812 in Indiana.

All the Kirk family will be treated in great detail. Rachel Jane Kirk was my great-great grandmother. I will appreciate any knowledge of early Kirk families from Pennsylvania to Indiana

Elizabeth Anthis was my great, great, great grandmother. All Anthis in Vincennes stem from one early Anthis family. The Anthis were early settlers in Pennsylvania. They were also in Virginia and Maryland. All help on this line will be appreciated.



INTRODUCTION

The Honorable W. S. Hayward tells us in the "History of Indiana" published by S. L. Harrow and Company Indianapolis 1879, the following article 14 on Boundaries:

"The State of Indiana is bounded on the East by the state of Ohio, on the South by the Ohio river, from the mouth of the Great Miami river to the mouth of the Wabash river; on the West by a line drawn along the middle of the Wabash river, from its mouth to a point where a due north line, drawn from the town of Vincennes, would last touch the north western shore of said Wabash river, and thence by a due north line, until the same shall intersect an east and west line, drawn through a point ten miles north of the northern shores of Lake Michigan, on the north by said east and west line, until the same shall intersect the first mentioned Meridian line, which forms the western boundary of the State of Ohio".

In the State of Indiana, the county of Knox is bounded on all sides but the north by natural boundaries. The Wabash and White River surrounds Knox County Indiana. Knox County has a vast area of rich bottom land, unsurpassed for fertility. Levees were constructed to gauge over flow of the Wabash river.

Down the wonderful Wabash six months out of each year, steamers made Vincennes, Indiana, a most important port of call.

We have our first mention of a Fort erected near the site of what is now the City of Vincennes, March 7-1733. This Fort was created by Morgan De Vincennes.

It is however not my intention to dwell upon Vincennes at that early a date. But to start with the period following the Revolutionary War.

It has been said by Historians that along most lands of progress, the United States is a marvel of history, and the old North west the marvel of the United States.

When the first Barrackmen arrived in the colonies with visions of a new world of freedom and a chance to pursue happiness, they settled many areas in Maryland, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Virginia as known today.

Ever striving for a better way of life and having heard of the wonderful new county West of the Ohio, a large clan of Barrackmen settled in Post Vincennes.

Long before Peter Barrackman and his family made their trek northwest, the Indians tribes had been following the paths made by the buffalo and deer leading to the Wabash and White rivers in what is now Knox County, Indiana.

Following the trails then made by the Indians, widened by the ax, the trails became trails. Roads were to eventually appear, and the stage coach found in Vincennes, a hub of civilization waiting to travel in all directions to bring progress and wealth and culture back into that new Metropolis, Vincennes. The pride of the Northwest Territory.

After the conquest of Post Vincennes by Col. Gen. Roger Clark in 1779. Many men who had been in his original, returned with their families and friends. I will not go into the history of Vincennes, or of its illustrious citizens and early settlers, as many fine works have been written on this chapter of Vincennes. In Knox County, state of Indiana.

Hinsdale's, "Old North West", tells us "The land ordinance of 1785, authorized the first commission of the general survey on call at public Venture land in townships of 36,000 acres, and in sections of 640 acres in equal quantities. Minimum price \$1.00 an acre, and the cost of the survey,

in money of its equivalent. The credit system made possible settlements in these areas. However much abuse and suffering came from this system. By 1820 it's believed more than one-half the men north west of the Ohio river were in debt to the Government.

While Congress at an early date had directed surveys to be made at the expense of the claimants, Governor St. Clair found this ill met, as the farmers had no funds.

About the period of 1790, the Indians had become hostile. Militia men were trained to preserve the hard won frontiers. The Indians had been forced into areas not to their liking. The land was poorer, and there had been a decided decline in Indian trade.

In spite of Indian raids--poor crops due to little or no rotation at that time, adversities and hard ships galore, Vincennes grew and prospered. By 1850 the population was 1,849. By 1875 it had reached 8,000.

In 1793 Vincennes was hard hit by a plague of small pox. Death claimed a heavy toll.

In May of 1800, the Territory of Indiana was organized, including in its boundaries Michigan and Illinois. Under the name of Knox County, and its capital was established at Vincennes. January 1801, General William Henry Harrison entered his duties as Governor of the Territory.

While many parts of these later states had been settled for more than 50 years, the Territory was but a wilderness. There was a gain in Indian trade at Vincennes. The Indians sold pelts to the traders at Vincennes. These pelts went to Detroit packed dried, 100 pounds to a pack. A boat could carry 40 packs. At Detroit skins and furs were exchanged for blankets, knives, guns, powder and liquor. And other items the good folks at Vincennes could not produce.

The following chapters will take up the story of Peter Barrackman and sons from the year of 1785 up into the year of 1960, where Barrackman's (Barrackman's) still reside.

Note 1. Books-- History of Indiana by Raymond. Goodspeed's-- History of Knox and Daniels County, Indiana History of the City of Vincennes. Honorable Mr. Cauthorn Historical Stories of Old Vincennes Dr. Hubbard Smith. Colonial History of Vincennes by Judge Law. Dunn's History of Indiana. Brown's Old North West.



PETER BARRACKMAN OF KNOX COUNTY
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Peter Barrackman was born between 1712-1746. Peter was a member of the large Bergman family group, who came from the Palatinate section of Germany to the American Colonies.

Peter Barrackman served under Captain Moses Chaplin, year of 1767, in the Colonial French-Indian Wars in Maryland. Serving at the same time was John Barrackman, who undoubtedly was closely related to Peter, and also a member of the Bergman tribe.

The name Bergman became Barrackman at a later date, and many other corruptions appear from time to time.

Early records prove that Peter Barrackman had many brothers, some of these brothers accompany Peter into Pennsylvania. Others settled at an early date in Maryland and West Virginia (Virginia). Around this same area of time other family groups settle in New York and Vermont.

Most of these early Barrackmans fought in the Revolutionary War. In Pennsylvania they served from Lancaster-Chester-Cumberland-Allegheny-Bedford-Westmoreland-Philadelphia Counties.

In Virginia men fought from Berkeley and Jefferson Counties. Some entered into "Kaintucky", one served for that area.

Quite a clan of Barrackmans served from New York State.

Tales have been handed down generation to generation about the Barrackman's who were "Hessian" soldiers. They came to the Colonies as soldiers, deserted, and joined their Bergman Kin. There are many descendants of this group living in Illinois today.

Peter leaves Maryland with his wife Elizabeth Antis. We next hear of him at Fort Dunmore (Fort Pitt).

Peter Barrackman operates a "Ferry Service", on the river near Fort Pitt. 1776. During the war of the Revolution, Peter ran supplies, food, ammunition, and men, for the cause of freedom for the American Colonists.

We find Peter settled in Westmoreland County-Elizabeth Township in 1782, at which time he owned four hundred (400) acres of land and a large amount of farm animals. We also note that he either owned or employed one (1) person of color, but history does not say that this person of color was a slave. However, Peter seems to have visited the Northwest Territory before this period of time - 1782; and he may have left some of his older sons at Fort Vincennes. Peter had six (6) children in 1782.

From the papers of the "Michigan Pioneer And Historical Collection", we find that John Barrackman was in Vincennes in 1779. We also have documentary prove that Christian Barrackman was in Vincennes in 1781 (Knox County Records). Both these men are older sons of Peter.

As this data chiefly concerns Peter, and Family in Knox County, Indiana, I will not dwell too much on Pennsylvania. This section will be treated separately when Mr. Hank Jones of California and I do "the Related Barrackman-Barrackman-Barkman-Bergman" series. Both Mr. Jones and myself are in this line of Barrackmans.

I will only concern my self with Peter, his wife and the direct Barrackman lines born in Vincennes, Indiana. The older boys and Peter found Indiana soil to their liking and along with the Barrackman great pioneering spirit, they lost no time in acquiring as much land as possible.

When the Governor of the Northwest Territory visits Vincennes in August of 1790, Peter Barrackman had succumbed. Earlier that year to Black Diphtheria, and has died, leaving his widow Elizabeth, and 7 minor children as heirs.



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The Governor has denied or confirmed land granted earlier, claims growing out of early land difficulties, settlements made erroneously and land to be given heirs of those now (1790) deceased. Peter Barrackman was living when the original land was donated to him in 1782 and 1785. He had children born after 1786.

In Goodspeeds "History of Knox County And Daviess County", published in 1866, the following article appears:

P. 110 (foregoing covers P. 110, etc) lists of heads of families in East Vincennes in 1783, entitled to donation land promised by Congress, and continues with other claimants:

"The heirs of Peter Barrackman, four hundred arpents on the waters of the river Du Chien, granted by the court the 10th of March 1782, to John Cardine: by him sold to St. Pierre, the cure of Illinois, and by him assigned to Elizabeth, the wife of Peter Barrackman: survey the same. Also one other tract of four hundred arpents on the waters of the river Du Chien, granted by the court the 10th of March 1782, to Louis Cardine, by him assigned to St. Pierre, and by St. Pierre to Elizabeth, the wife of Peter Barrackman: survey the same. The heirs of Peter Barrackman claim, also four hundred acres more upon the waters of the river Du Chien, adjoining the before named tracts, by a grant from Court, the 10th of May, 1785; as there were early and considerable improvements on this tract, two hundred acres may be surveyed to satisfy the claim. They claim, also, one lot in the back part of town, twenty-five toises (p.111) square, by a court grant of 1785, which is to be surveyed, the same having been considerably improved. Peter Barrackman, Jr. claims a lot joining the same, granted also in 1785, upon which are considerable improvements; if it does not exceed the common size of the lots it is to be surveyed".

Michael Barrackman received the lot in the back part of town, East Vincennes, Indiana. This may have been a military donation. Record of this to be found in the American State Papers, volume on public lands. Peter Barrackman, Jr. received the land next to him. It is doubtful that either of those men ever settled on their land. No court records wills-deeds-papers of any kind have ever been found. Nor do we have any further mention of them.

Other Barrackman land appears to have been as follows. This was taken from Treasury Document Number 455, Claims for Land Vincennes District.

List of military donations of 100 (one Hundred) acres of land granted by the Governors of the various states to the Militia Men in the Vincennes District, Indiana on August 1, 1790.

Number of Grant 38 ----- To Christopher Barrickman

Number of Grant 122 ----- To Abraham Barrickman

The locations were entered at Vincennes under an act of Congress on March 3, 1807.

Number Draw: 16 - Heirs of Christopher Barrackman in Right of Chris Barrackman; there were three hundred (300) acres located on the waters of Mario Creek, Settled upon.



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Number Drawn 23- Abraham Barrickman- There were one hundred and fifty (150) acres on north west side of White River below the mouth of Grassy Pond Bayan, adjoining site of White River, Knox County, Indiana.

Number Drawn 46- By Abe Barrickman in rights of heirs of Peter Barrickman; there were two hundred (200) acres on Marie Creek adjoining land of Christopher Barrackman.

Peter Barrackman also claims land on waters of Mill Creek, where he lived for a time.

Henry Bariman had four hundred (400) acres near White River; later he had land along the Wabash River.

The Barrackmans also have fifty (50) acres of land which they used for a sugar camp, exchanging the maple sugar for flour and gun powder and furs.

The above named items were used by the various early settlers Indian Traders- the Indians. It was on the River DuChes (Du Chen or Deshee) that Peter Barrackman had his trading station. It was called "Barrackman Station", and is noted as such in the volume on Public Lands, Treasury Document #455.

Christian Barrackman also had land below Hazelton, Indiana in Gibson County; he also had land on the White River.

At various dates in this fine Family History, Peter's many grandsons take out land during several land office sales.

As it happens so much there were many corruptions of the Barrackman name. After a period of time, it appears as Barkman. Along about 1855 or so, the Barackman-Barckman-Barkmans, etc, who were all actually Barrackmans, decide to call themselves Barckman. Today the Kin of Peter Barrackman who settles in Knox County, Indiana are called Barckman and may be found listed as such coast to coast.

Anyone desiring to contact a Barckman, please contact me.

Genealogy of the Knox County, Indiana Barrackmans. Peter Barrackman was married to Elizabeth Antis, Anthuis- Andes- Antes- Antis) in the Virginia Territory. Date of marriage unknown. It is not known if Peter had two wives, but he has full grown children and very small children upon his arrival in Knox County, Indiana. Peter dies early in 1790 of Diphtheria, and some children may have also died at that time. Elizabeth was still living in 1820 and lived with her youngest son, John. She does not appear under Johns listing in the Census of 1830, however. Both Elizabeth and Peter are undoubtedly buried on their own land. No record of their actual burials are to be found.

ELIZABETH ANTIS The first early mention we have of this family is Wilhelm ANTHUIS, year of 1754- on board the Ship Neptune; also on board is Baltzer Bergman (Barrackman), so it seems likely these families knew each other in Germany. They arrive in the colonies from Germany at the same time.

The early Antes-Antis families are prominent figures in American History. As I have little fact on Elizabeth ANTIS back ground, I can not go into the family history at this time on a large scale.

George Antis arrives in Vincennes shortly after son Elizabeth Barrackman. He settles in what later becomes Decker Township. His sons Jacob-John & Francis ANTIS take out land on the White River and the Wabash River. There are ANTIS'S today.

George Antis Jr. fought in the war of 1812 from Gibson County, Indiana. It is possible George Antis and Elizabeth Antis Barrackman are brother



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and sister. Knowing the name of their father could be the clue linking the Antes family of Pennsylvania to Indiana Kin.

I would appreciate help along these lines.

Following, I have listed the children of Peter Barrackman; the actual children of Elizabeth are not known unless stated.

I. Michael Barrackman -B- Pennsylvania. He has five (5) children. It is believed from further records that he returned to Pennsylvania as records show he has land in Allegheny County in 1793.

II. Peter Barrackman, Jr. -B- Pennsylvania-- No knowledge or records.

III. Christian Barrackman -B- Pennsylvania. Chris owns land in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. He also served as a Militia Man in Vincennes in 1790. It is known that he had heirs as records in Knox County refer to such. There is no knowledge of who his heirs were as all the records pertaining to this information, were lost. However, his Mother was Elizabeth Anthis. Chris D 1798 either in Knox County, Indiana or in Pennsylvania. He returned to Pennsylvania for a period around 1786.

IV. John Barrackman -B- Pennsylvania D- 1783- Pennsylvania before the entire family had moved to Knox County in Indiana. He served under Captain Peter Carr, Westmoreland County in Pennsylvania between 1778-1782. He may have served under other units as he appears in Knox County, 1779 at Post Vincennes. John's estate does not list a widow or children. Not a child of Elizabeth. Full name is John Adam Barrackman.

V. Rebecca Barrackman -B- Pennsylvania, date unknown- marries on December 23, 1807 in Knox County, Indiana; mate is John Caldwell who was B- Brownsville, Pennsylvania. John Caldwell served under Captain Love of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania during the Revolutionary War. He was appointed Receivers of Monies at Kaskaskia in 1812. Rebecca -D- 1813. John Caldwell then marries Sarah Badolett 2/9/1814. Then he was appointed Receivers of Monies at Shawnee Town, Illinois in 1814.

VI. Abraham Barrackman -B- 2/22/1771 State of Pennsylvania. Abe is treated in a section devoted to him. His Wife Elizabeth Anthis and their children. Abe and Elizabeth are cousins.

VII. Henry Barrackman -B- 7/2/1776 State of Pennsylvania. Henry is treated in a section devoted to him and his wife, Julian and their children.



Peter Barrackman of Knox County

State of Indiana

VIII

John Barrackman - B^t - 1785. Actual date unknown. He may have been born in Knox County, Indiana or brought here as an infant of a few months. John is also treated in a section devoted to him and his wife, Jane Harris and their children. The census for Harrison Township Knox County, Indiana lists - James Harris. In 1830 the census lists his wife as head of family. James died. Mary Hannah, George Leach, and Peter Barrackman are administrators to his estate, George may be James Hannah's father. It is also possible Mary Hannah was a sister to George Leach. Leach is some times spelt Hanna. They had land in T 5 N - R 6 E - 10 W Township Knox County, Indiana. There were several Hanna's married at the Indiana Presbyterian Church between 1810 and 1830. The 1850 census for Knox County, lists only one Hannah. An Ephraim age 70, living with the same family. Do you have knowledge of this early Hannah family, where did they come from? Maryland Pennsylvania, Virginia. Please write me.

IX

Elizabeth Barrackman - B^t - 2/25/1786. In Knox County, Indiana. She was baptized by Father Gibault, the "Pastor of the West". Father Gibault, along with General Scott's troops a black played a large role in winning Vincennes from the British, for without their help the Northwest Territory would still be under British rule.

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Susannah Barrackman - date of birth unknown. She was probably born in Pennsylvania, and as older than her sister Rebecca. Susannah married William Snyder. He was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He served in the Lancaster Militia in 1780. He also served in various other units, and did duty in Northumberland County, Pennsylvania. William Snyder was honorably discharged as an English in 1783. William Snyder had a land grant in 1785 in Harrison Township, Knox County, Indiana. As husband to Susannah he received land from Peter Barrackman. Deeded to them and their heirs as recorded in early court papers. This land was on the Dechoe River and adjoined land given to Peter Barrackman's other heirs. See section on land. William Snyder died in 1822. Susannah's date of death is not known. They had the following issue. Henry - who married Amanda Whitcomb, John, James, George, and William Jr. In 1816 William Sr. helped build a road in Palmyra Township, Knox County, Indiana. Further correspondence on this family is invited.

II Note - On Peter Barrackman Jr. He may have been with Col. Archibald Leachy at the Ohio River Massacre. Col. Leachy was murdered there - as was Peter Bareckman. In July 1781. This spot is now known as Leachy's Creek, and is in Dearborn County Indiana. This unit served from Kentmoreland County. Can any one add to this?

V Note - On Rebecca Barrackman and husband John Caldwell. They had one child Eliza Jane Caldwell. She married Alexander Kirkpatrick of Shawnee Town, Illinois. Eliza Jane Caldwell had land given her by her grand father Peter Barrackman. See section marked land.

Undoubtedly, there were other children of Peter Barrackman and Elizabeth for which no records can be found. Further research and information by interested parties will uncover much in time - to come



EARLY ENOX COUNTY MARRIAGES

Annie H. Barakman to Allen Reel	October 1, 1890
C. Barakman to W. Gilmore	March 26, 1863
Eliza Barakman to Jos. Nunley	August 2, 1889
Eunice Barackman to Marshall Redarmel	January 27, 1891
Hannah Barakman to James Prissnell	August 10, 1880
Alexander Barakman to Ida Sanders	July 28, 1892
Eliza Barckman to Chas. Dorman	April 7, 1892
Isabelle Barckman to Lark M. Arthis	March 25, 1877
Isabelle Harlett Barckman to William Finney Thorne	September 5, 1877
Laura E. Barackman to Joel B. King	December 7, 1891
May Barckman to Elijah C. Dillinger	November 12, 1891
Mary Belle Barckman to Albert S. Leech	November 24, 1892
Samuel Hamilton Barckman to Sarah Catt	October 6, 1878
Maggie Barckman to Payton J. Campton	December 3, 1896
Angeline Barckman to John F. Gilmore	August 17, 1871
Alice M. Barckman to James Lefferty	October 23, 1872
Anna Barckman to William Barnett	January 26, 1902
Bessie Barckman to Oscar Moyer	November 3, 1920
Charlie K. Barckman to Mary Valentine Meyers	March 14, 1891
Curren H. Barckman to Mattie E. Price	November 14, 1883
Ema D. Barckman to James W. Ray	September 23, 1874
Elizabeth Barckman to George W. McGiffen	March 3, 1889
Hattie E. Barckman to Dan W. Summit	January 11, 1874
Henry Barckman to Elizabeth Young	August 15, 1868
Isaac Barckman to Belle Purcell	April 6, 1899
John Barckman to Essie Compton	January 13, 1916
Earl Barckman to Clara Mahon	December 27, 1881
Lambert Barckman to Alice B. Hess	October 6, 1874
Lyman H. Barckman to Margaret Roxana Becken	April 3, 1881
Larcy Ann Barckman to John J. Redarmel	November 20, 1893
Mantle Barckman to Lillie A. Lane	April 27, 1896
Marshall Barckman to Mattie Reel	April 6, 1881
Mattie Barckman to William Kuewland	February 16, 1897
Maud Barckman to Frank Dally	July 21, 1888
Myrtle Barckman to J. O'Donnell	December 17, 1872
Robert Barckman to Martha Crow	November 12, 1873
Wm. C. Barckman to Mary A. Vaulting	October 21, 1873
Wm. H. Barckman to Lizzie Cardinal	March 16, 1863
Anna Barckman to Fielding Catt	December 7, 1865
Ellen Barckman to Hiram H. Langley	September 29, 1864
Hannah E. Barckman to John J. Smith	August 21, 1889
Samuel Hamilton Barckman to Mary Claycomb	April 14, 1865
Henry F. Barckman to Nancy Ann McCormick	October 8, 1886
Julia Barckman to Ulrich Humphrey	July 6, 1857
John W. Barckman to Sarah A. Saden	November 23, 1867
John Barckman to Melinda Evans	December 27, 1847
Mercy Barckman to William Joseph Grimes	

Melinda Barkman to Henry A. Edwards
 Margaret A. Barkman to the Westfall
 Martha Barkman to Ed. McCormick
 Milly Barkman to Jacob Jacobus
 Susan Barkman to Joseph Billinger
 Susan C. Barkman to Samuel Westfall
 John Barkman to Jane Hannah
 Sarah Barkman to William G. H. Johnston
 Andrew Barkman to Charlotte Jordan
 Peter Barkman to Mary Van Camp
 Peter Barkman to Fatenice Grant
 Abraham Barkman to Ellen Waris
 David Barkman to Lucinda Parmenter
 Rebecca Barkman to John Caldwell
 Henry Barkman to Elizabeth Barkman
 Wm. Hanna Barkman to Julia Ann Smith
 Thomas C. Barkman to Michael Jane Kirk
 Julia Ann Barkman to William Kirk
 Rebecca Barkman to Isaac Sanders
 Susan Barkman to Jacob Van
 Katherine Barrackman to Frederick Claycomb
 Margaret Barkman to John Satzler
 Elizabeth Barkman to Nedaris Hyatt
 Eliza Barkman to Alexander Underwood
 William S. Barkman to Diadema Morgan
 Minnie Barkman to Joseph Gale
 John Barkman to Lydia Hapes
 Sherman Barkman to Myrtle May
 Fannie H. Barkman to Allen Reel
 Ralph Barkman to LaVerne Holt
 Margaret Barkman to John Alton
 Mary Barkman to Solomon Thorne
 Abraham Barrackman to Elizabeth Anthis
 Knox County, Indiana
 Nancy Barkman to Henry LaBois
 Abraham Barkman to Eliza Barnes
 (Married by John Barkman, Associate
 Judge of Knox Circuit Court)

Andrew Barkman to Eliza Fitch
 (Also married by Judge Barkman)

December 27, 1847
 October 25, 1860
 October 22, 1857
 August 5, 1868
 October 28, 1875
 January 13, 1861
 July 24, 1810
 March 23, 1834
 October 23, 1832
 February 28, 1835
 October 20, 1843
 November 13, 1835
 December 10, 1836
 December 23, 1807
 January 19, 1843
 May 12, 1850
 June 23, 1850
 December 3, 1850
 August 23, 1841
 May 31, 1820
 July 29, 1823
 October 9, 1827
 August 23, 1834
 December 26, 1837
 August 20, 1842
 June 28, 1860
 April 4, 1820
 December 23, 1903
 March 3, 1867
 August 31, 1921
 July 29, 1823
 September 13, 1832
 1799
 August 5, 1868
 August 20, 1839

February 6, 1847

A FEW EARLY ILLINOIS MARRIAGES

David Barrickman to Rachel Moon
 Ellen Barrackman to Sherman Tombling
 Michael J. Barrackman to Fannie C. Condyner
 Michael J. Barrackman to Alice C. Taylor
 Mary Barrackman to William T. Cory
 Brown Barrackman to Francis H. Flanagan
 Isaac Barrickman to Sabia Bell
 John A. Barrackman to Olive C. Bell

August 25, 1842
 February 10, 1870
 October 16, 1866
 December 6, 1876
 March 9, 1869
 February 14, 1844
 October 4, 1830
 December 18, 1871

Margaret Barrackman to Martin King
Elizabeth Barrackman to John King
Brown Barrackman to Martha J. Clubb
Jacob A. Barrackman to Mary Ellen Williams

February 23, 1850
June 1, 1855
January 24, 1854
February 17, 1884



An Account of Legerale debts of MOSES HENRY deceased now
in the hand of the Administrator Via

		Livers	Shells
No.	1. A Certificate from Col. Lupton in fav of Mr. Seall	66	---
2.	A "Do" from Lewis Master on public in fav Mc Millan	102	---
3.	A "Do" of Vigor's for pr. public Cyder	4	---
4.	An order drawn by S. Conner on Vigo for Mr. Lintav	8	---
5.	An account in fav of MOSES HENRY ag THOMAS VIGOR	522	5
6.	Wm. PIERRE GIBBALT 2 Do. for 2 gall Whisky	16	---
7.	Do. " " 2 Do. for 1 gallon Cyder	8	---
8.	Valley Valley 1 Do. for 4 qts of Cyder	8	---
9.	John Lafette 1 Do. for 2 qts of Cyder	4	---
10.	Chas. Laffont 1 Do. for 2 qts of Cyder	4	---
11.	John Gaultin 3 Do. for 3 gallons Cyder	24	---
12.	An account against Cardin 4 bushel corn V	65	10
13.	An account against Mr. Johnson	10	10
14.	An account against Mr. Hixon	15	---
15.	An account against Mr. Hixby	48	---
16.	An account against Mr. Harris	7	---
17.	An account against Mr. Lasselle	10	---
18.	An account against Mr. Lewis Huxton	25	---
19.	An account against Paul Carlin	16	---
20.	An account against Mr. Bradley	4	---
21.	An account against Antonio Carlin	35	---
22.	An account against Mr. Cornoyer	18	---
23.	An account against Mr. Gagne	16	10
24.	An account against Mr. Lagrand	22	---
25.	An account against CHRISTIAN BARICKMAN	21	---
26.	An account against Mr. Chapoton	139	---
27.	An account against Frederick B. lance is	24	---
28.	A Box of Samuel Havenport for	6	---
29.	An account against Mr. Gidault in corn	25	5
	Amount carried Forward		
	Amount Brought Forward	Livers 1635	5
No.	30. A note of hand on Rachel Martain's	Livers 1635	5
	given to Will Shannon by note to M. HENRY	36	---
31.	An account against Ralph Watson in fav. of	34	---
32.	MOSES HENRY dec'd for		
32.1	A "Do" agst Mr. Besseron in fav. of same	1067	15
33.	An order drawn by Conger Harbin	10	---
		Livers 2783	00

H. E.

Robert Johnston Adams

"MOSES HENRY came with FATHER GIBBALT and Halm from Kaskaskia to Vincennes".
MOSES HENRY accompanied Co. Geo. Rogers Clark into the fort at Vincennes
after its capture. MOSES HENRY was a signer of the " oath of Allegiance"
in 1778. He died in 1789. As early as 1781 CHRISTIAN BARICKMAN and
John Barickman (dec'd 1783) had been in Vincennes and were friends of
Moses Henry.



Following was copied as is from original records
at Court House, Vincennes, Indiana.

11th day February Term 1817 - Page 427 thru 430
State of Indiana, Knox County - to the Honorable,
the Court of Said County

We the subscribers commissioners appointed by your Orders at the June and October term last past (1816) Do hereby certify that after having taken the Oath required by law, we assembled at the house of Abram Barkman in Palmyra Township in the County aforesaid on the twenty eighth day of December A: D One thousand Eight hundred and Sixteen in the forenoon, as we had Appointed and Notified, we proceeded to ascertain who were the several legatees Entitled to a Dividend under the last Will and Testament of Peter Barkman Dec 3. the said Will & Testament being then and there before us upon which Enquire we Satisfactorily found and now report that the Real Estate of the Said Peter should and is to be Divided between Abraham Barkman, Henry Barkman John Barkman, John Caldwell who is Tenant by the curtesy in right of his Wife Rebecca, now Deceased, for their only Offspring, Eliza Jane, the heirs of Christian Barkman and William Snyder in right of his wife, Susannah. We then next proceeded to ascertain in presence of all of the aforesaid Legatees and devisees a part of the heirs of said Christian Barkman excepted what was the quantity and where it was situated of the real estate of the said Peter Barkman dec d. to be brought into and subject to division when upon their Information and unanimous convieu it turned out of the following Lot and tracts of Land, to wit, a Town lot on the Rise near the Seminary, Lot in the run of Vincennes, A Tract of Land of One hundred and Ninety five Acres on the Waters of Marie Creek being the Ballance of 640 28/100 granted to the heirs of Peter Barkman under concession of 1782, Another Tract of One hundred and forty four Acres & Sixty hundred & sixtieths on the Waters of the River Duchis, Joining Harbin & Robbing and one Other Tract of Three hundred & twenty, and Fifty, five Poles or hundred & sixtieths, including the Farm or what is called "The Barkman Place" all in the County of Knox & State aforesaid. Whereupon we proceeded and viewed the quality & State of the Said Lands excepted the Marie Tract and Town Lot, as to which we received Satisfactory Information, Upon which we found that three of the Legatees to wit, Abraham, Henry & John Barkman having since the deceased of the Textalor Peter, made considerable improvements upon the Said Farm Tract a particular & uniform Division ther of would be unadvisable because any ivilion lines running So as to make the Tracts or Parcels in any Kind of Form, would operate a Material Injury to the aforesaid Improvers to obviate which Injury and Injustice, it was agreed by the Said John Caldwell on the part and on behalf of his said Child Eliza Jane & by the Said Abraham Barkman, we do decide & report that the said Abraham Barkman shall and do convey to the said John Caldwell in remainder to the said Eliza Jane Cladwell her heirs and assigns, Sixty four Acres and Fifty Poles, out of the quantity, being part of the said Farm Tract 604 which he the said Abraham heretofore purchased ~~for the fifth Sale~~ the Ballance of the said Farm and River Duchis Tracts Should be divided by proper meter and Bounds then agreed upon by the said Several Legatees, which should be set out by one of your commissioners, Samuel Emison, and the same being now completed we do decide and report that the said Real Estate, with the exception of the said Town Lot, shall be & the same is hereby divided in the folowing manner and Proportions, that is to say To William Snyder in right of his wife Susannah, the aforesaid 195 acres on the Waters of Marie Creek

To the Heirs of Christian Barkman
dec^d. Seventy One Acres out of the Tract Joining Harbin by the following bounds, to wit, beginning at the South corner of the 144 Acres granted to the Heirs of Said Peter Barkman, Adjoining Harbin running thence North 45° West 47 Poles to a State thence North 45° East 23 7/10 Poles to another Stake, thence south 45° 107 Poles to another Stake on the old line, thence S. 45° West 20 7/10 Poles to another Stake, then thence N. 45° W. 60 Poles to another Stake, and thence S. 45° West 196 Poles to the Place of beginning.

To John Caldwell in addition to the quantity heretofore Purchased by him of Said Abraham Barkman and of the 64 50/100 Acres at this time agreed to be conveyed to him by the said Abraham in reminder to the said Eliza Jane Caldwell, her heirs and assigns, One Hundred and fifty, Acres and 28 poles and of the Farm Tract, by the following bounds, to wit, begining at the South Corner of the 340 Acre Tract adjoining Christian Barkman & running thence N. 45° W. 99 6/10 Poles to a Stake on the old line, thence N. 45° E. 241 25/100 Poles to a Stake, thence S. 45° E. 99 6/100 Poles to a Stake, and thence S. 45° W. 241 25/100 Poles to the place of Beginning

To John Barkman Seventy three Acres and fixty Poles by the following Meter and bounds, to wit, begining at the North Corner of thd 144 Acre Tract running thence S. 45° E 47 Poles to a Stake, thence S. 45° W 61 Poles to another Stake thence S. 45° E. 60 Poles to a Stake, Thence S. 45° W. 83 Poles to a Stake, thence N. 45° W. 107 Poles to a Stake, and thence N. 45° E. 144 Poles to the Place of beginning

To Abraham Barkman Eight five acres, thirteen and one half poles out of the Farm tract by the following meter and bounds, to wit, Begining at the North Corner of the 170 Acres Tract Joining Nathaniel Ewing, and running thence S. 45° E. 125 1/10 Poles to a Stake, thence E. 45° W. 108 8/10 poles to a Stake, thence N. 45° W. 125 1/10 Poles to a Stake and thence N. 45° E. 108 8/10 poles to the Place of beginning

To Henry Barkman Eighty five Acres & thirteen and one half poles, by the following meter and bounds to wit Begining at the South bounds of the 170 Acre Tract and running thence N. 45° W. 145 1/10 Poles, to a Stake, thence N. 45° E. 49 7/10 to another Stake, thence S. 45° E. to Poles to another Stake, thence N. 45° E. 51 2/10 Poles to a Stake, thence S. 45° E. 125 1/10 Poles another Stake, and thence S. 45° W. 100 9/10 poles to the place of beginning

And your Petitioners further Report that in their opinion the said Town Lot will no admit of Division because of the inconsiderable quantity of ground it contains that which would fall to each of the said legatees and that too of inconsiderable value it being unimproved wherefore they are further of opinion and advise recommend a Sale thereof pursent to the siatute in such case made provided

Given under our hands & Seals at Vincennes this
first day of March A. D. One thousand Eight hundred & Seventeen

Detail of Expences

To G. W. Johnston 1 of the com
drawing Report 2 days a 9/-----\$5
Eph^m Jordan 3 days a 9/1-----\$4.50
Sam Emison as Court Surveyor 4
say a 9/1-----\$6

Gen W. Johnstons (Seal)
Eph^m Jordan (Seal)
Sam Emison (Seal)

\$13.50



September Term 8th day to September 1832-159

The W. side of Peter Barkman dec'd,
Petition for Retraction of Report of
Comptrollers here to fore made

Be it remembered that here to fore to wit on the 10th day
of March 1832 was filed in the Clerk's of the Knox Circuit Court
Office the following petition to wit

To the Hon. The Circuit Court of Knox County respectfully the
with that in the report of the division of the real Estate of Peter
Barkman dec'd. situate in the County of Knox as returned by the
comptrollers in the Month of February 1829 there exists errors &
mistakes in the distribution of some of the Tracts of land allotted
and an omission of one of the heirs to whom an allotment was made
& should have been reported that two of the said Comptrollers are
yet alive and in order to remedy the said errors & omissions the
heirs and representatives interested in said division respectfully
pry that the report be referred back to the said Comptrollers to
wit Benj. & Beckus & Samuel Emison and that they have leave to
make report to the pleasure of the ensuing Term of this Court and
as early March of 7th 1832.

O. W. Polase Attorney

for the heirs of Peter Barkman dec'd.

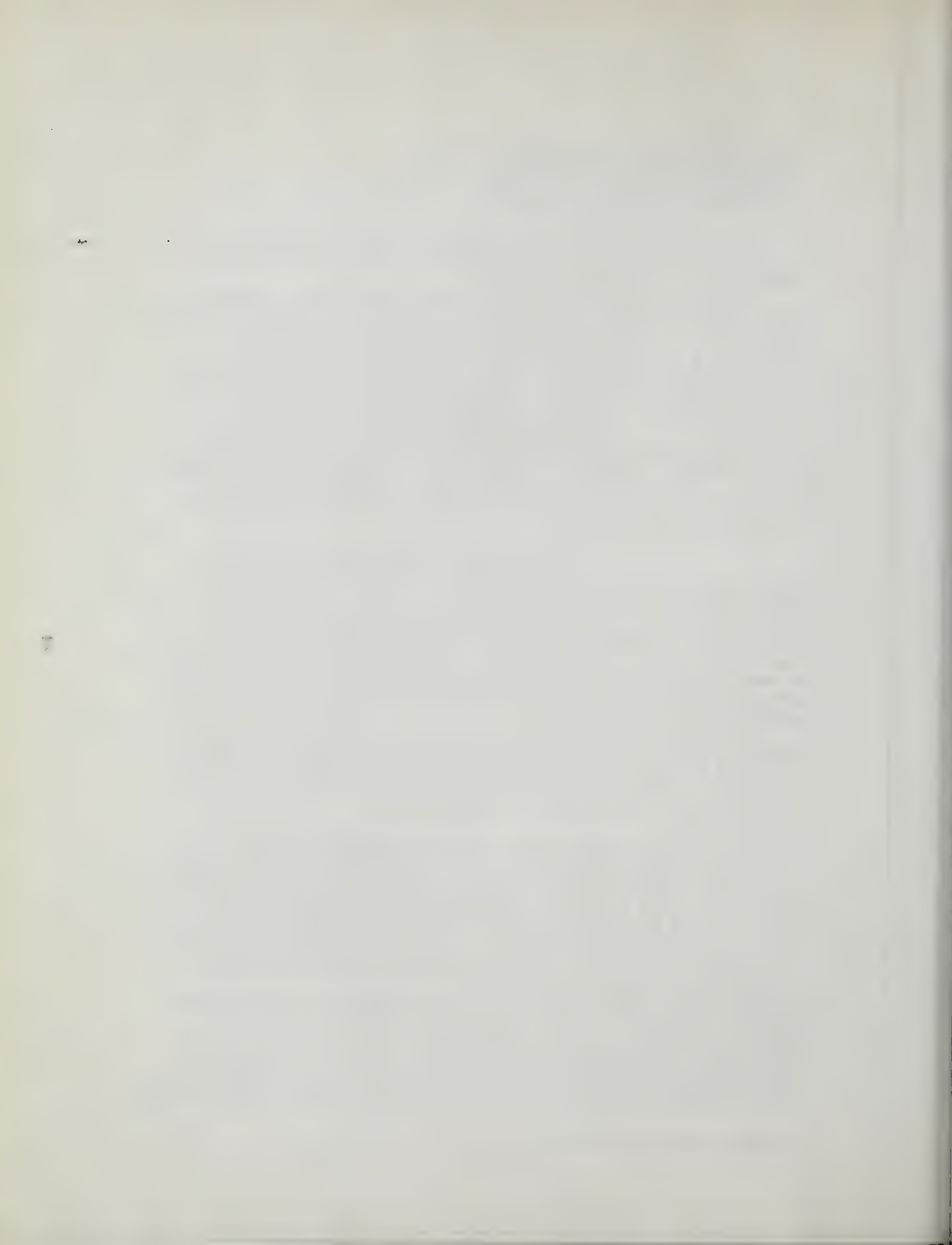
And afterwards to wit on the same day and sixth day of March Term
1832 On motion of all the heirs of Peter Barkman upon petition
filed by General W. Johnston third Attorney, it is ordered that
the Comptrollers Benjamin & Beckus & Samuel Emison Surviving
Comptrollers here to fore appointed for the partition of this Estate
be and they are hereby directed to review their said report and to
return to Court at its next term a Supplemental report if in their
opinion justice requires it.

Be it remembered that here to fore to wit on the 8th day of
September Term and 11th day of September 1832 came Samuel Emison &
Benjamin & Beckus two of the Comptrollers here to fore appointed
in the above Case and filed the following report which said report
is in the words and figures as follows to wit

State of Indiana

Knox County The undersigned two of the Comptrollers here to fore
appointed to divide the Real Estate of Peter Barkman dec'd. Situate
in the said County of Knox amongst his several heirs and legal re-
presentatives and who have been directed by the Circuit Court of
said County to reexamine and report upon the division here to fore
made and returned to the said Court and to correct the errors which
were unintentional made in said former report have so reexamined
the same and now report as follows.

The said Real estate Consists of the following Lot & Tracts of land
to wit a town Lot on the near the Secondary Lot in the Town of
Vincennes a tract of Land of one hundred and ninety five acres on
the waters of Wabash Creek being part of 240 28/100 a granted to
the heirs of said Peter Barkman deceased Another tract of one hundred
forty four acres and 60/100 on the waters of the River Duches Joining



September 8th day to 11th September 1832

Marbink Robins and another tract of one hundred and Seventy Acres & including the farm called the Barkman place which we have divided and allotted and do now here by divide and allot as follows to wit

To Eliza Jane Caldwell offspring and only heir of of Rebecca Barkman by John Caldwell her husband the quantity of one hundred and fifty acres land and twenty eight poles to be conveyed to her the Said Eliza Jane her heirs and assigns by the Said Abraham Barkman & wife by the following notes and bounds to wit beginning at the South Corner of the 340 28/100 a tract adjoining Christian Barkman and running thence N. 45° E. 99 6/100 poles to a Stake on the old Line thence N. 45° E. 241 25/100 poles to a stake thence S. 45° E. 99 6/100 po to a Stake and thence 45° W. 241 25/100 po to the place of beginning pr diagram here to annexed.

To William Snyder in right of his wife Susannah formerly Barkman their heirs & assigns to tract of 195 a on the waters of Marrier Creek.

To the heirs of Christian Barkman deceased Seventy one acres out of tract joining Marbin & Robbins on the river Duckee by the following notes and bounds to wit beginning at the South Corner of the entire tract running thence N. 45° W. 47 poles to a Stake thence N. 45° E. 216 7/100 to another Stake thence S. 45° E. 107 poles to another Stake on the old Line thence S. 45° W. 20 7/100 poles to the place of beginning.

To Abraham Barkman his heirs and assigns Eighty five Acres 13 1/2 poles out of the farm tract by the following notes and bounds to wit Beginning at the North Corner of the 170 a tract joining Nathaniel Faring and running thence S. 45° E. 125 1/100 po to a Stake thence S. 45° W 108/100 po to stake thence N. 45° E. 125 po to a Stake Thence N. 45° E. 108 po to the place of beginning pr diagram A

To Henry Barkman his heirs and assigns Eighty five acres and thirteen and one half poles out of the 170 a tract by the following notes and bounds to wit Beginning at the South Corner of the entire tract and running thence N. 45° W. 141 2/100 poles to a Stake thence N. 45° E. 49 7/100 po to another Stake thence S. takes thence 45° W. 20 poles to another Stake thence N. 45° W. 51 2/100 po to a stake thence S. 45° E. 125 1/100 po to another stake thence S. 45° W. 160 9/100 po to the place of Beginning The Said Abraham & wife shall convey to Said Henry Barkman his heirs & assigns a Special warranted deed at the costs and charges of the said Henry when ever called upon Forty nine and one half acres part and parcell of the Said 340 28/100 a Tract bought as aid at Sheriff Sale by the following notes and bounds to wit Beginning at the West Corner of the entire tract thence 45° W. 160 poles to a stake on Caldwell Line S. 45° E. 160 poles with Caldwell Line to a Stake on the old Line and thence N. 45° W. 49 1/2 po to the place of Beginning pr Diagram A

To John Barkman his heirs and assigns Seventy three acres and 60/100 part and parcell of the 144 60/100 a Tract on the Waters of the Duckee Beginning at the north Corner of the entire tract thence 45° E. 47 poles to a stake



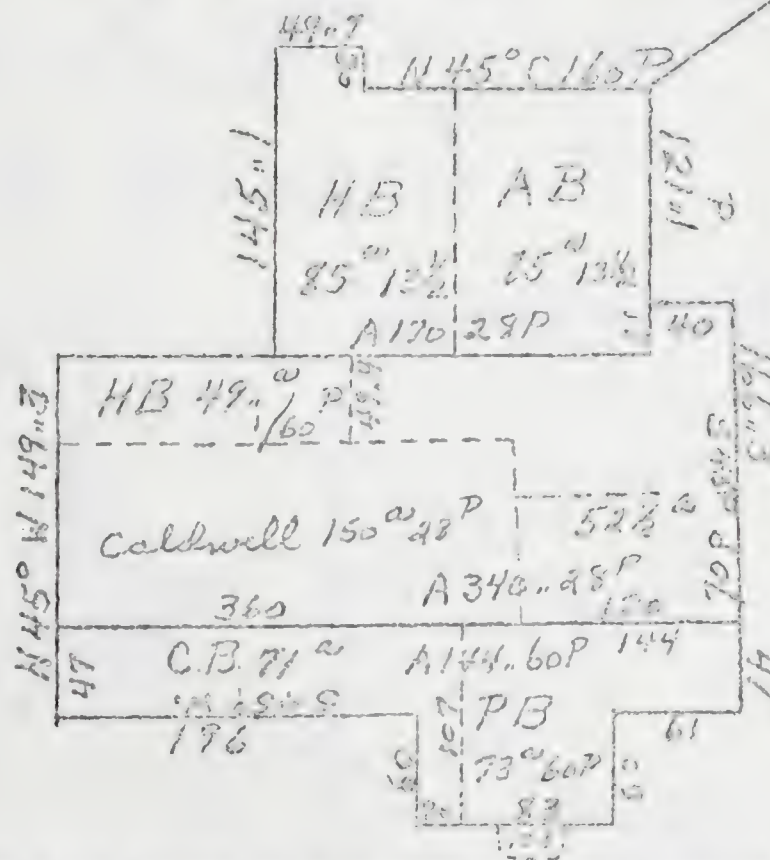
September the 8th Day to 11th September 1771

Thence S. 45 o W. 61 po to a Stake thence S. 45 o E. 60 po to a Stake
thence S. 45 o W. 83 poles to a Stake thence N. 45 o W. 107 poles to
a stake and thence N. 45 o E. 144 poles to the place of Beginning
and the said Abraham Barkman & wife shall convey by special warranty
deed when ever called upon and at the costs and charges of the said
John. Fifty two and one half acres part and parcell of the afore-
said tract of 341 28/100 ac- by the following metes and Bounds to
wit beginning at the East Corner of the original tract thence N. 45 o
W. 70 poles to a Stake thence S. 45 o W. 120 poles to a stake on
caldwells Line thence S. 45 E. 70 poles to a Stake and thence N. 45 o
E. 120 poles to the place of Beginning of Diagram A

And said Commissioners for there report that in their opinion the
Said Town Lot will not merit of a division and therefore recommend a
Sale thereof according to Law the Statute Given under our hands and
seals at Vincennes this 21st, July A D 1832

Diagram A

The black lines show the lines of the original Survey and dotted lines show lines agreed upon by the Commissioners, see report Samuel Walker



And on the back of said report is the following endorsement to wit State of Indiana Knox County. Be it remembered that on this 21st day of July A D 1852 Before us the undersigned one of the Associate Judges in & for the Said County personally came the within named Benjamin & Leckie & Samuel Embor the Commissioners within named and acknowledging the within and foregoing report to be their act and deed for the purpose there in mentioned and desired the same might be received and recorded as such

In Testimony whereof I here to
set my hand & seal

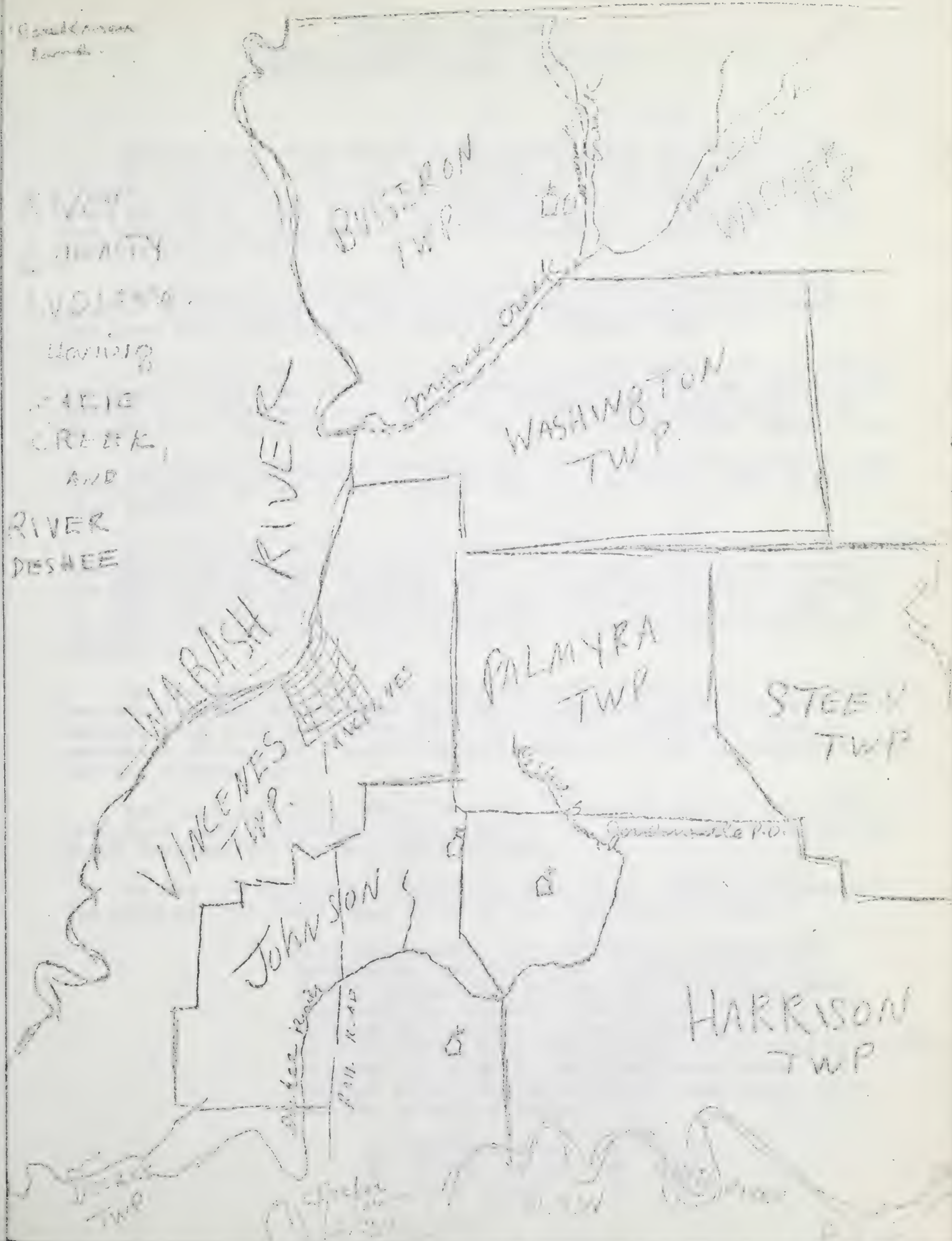
R. P. Price

A, S, P, K, C, Seal



Geological
Notes

WABASH RIVER
UNITED
STATES
HARRISON
TWP.
CREEK,
AND
RIVER
DESNEE





ABRAHAM BARRACKMAN
OLDEST OF PETER BARRACKMANS SONS
LIVING IN KNOX COUNTY, INDIANA

Abraham Barrackman was born in Pennsylvania, in Westmoreland County on Feb. 22, 1771. He was brought to what is now Knox County, Indiana about 1782. The Barrackmans lived on the River DuChemin. When Abe was 14 years old he was captured by the Piankashaw Indians and taken to the head-waters of the White River, where he was held captive for six months.

Abe managed to escape when the braves were off on a hunting party. History tells us Abe had a brother who was also captured at the same time, but does not reveal this brothers name.

In the year of 1799, Abe married Elizabeth Anthis, who was born in Virginia and taken to Docket Township at an early age. The Anthis family were early settlers in Docket Township and owned quite a lot of land along the White River and the Wabash River, Knox County, Ind.

Elizabeth Anthis was born Dec. 25, 1775. She was related to the Anthis family of which Abe's mother was also related. They may have been cousins.

Knox County, Indiana in the years of its formation were constantly beleagued with Indians on the war path. All able bodied men served in the Vincennes Militia. Abe had service under Captain Pierre Gamelin in 1790 and also saw service under Major Francois Vigo in 1790. Abe received 100 acres of land as a donation for services rendered as a militia man.

In the year of 1799, Abe was appointed Constable for Knox County. Records in early court cases show he acted with honor and without malice. Abe also was active in civic affairs and helped serve on committees to determine where new roads should be built, townships laid out and bridges built.

Abe died May 20th, 1850. His wife Elizabeth did not die until Feb. 2nd, 1871. They are both buried in the church yard at Indianas First Presbyterian Church, built in 1806.

To Abe and Elizabeth, 8 children were born. Their children were all born in Knox County and lived on the "Old Barrackman Farms."

- I. Margaret Barrackman - B. 3/5/1802. She married John Alton - B. 7/7/1799. John was born in Pennsylvania. His father, John Sr. was a Revolutionary War soldier from Pa. and a very early settler to Vincennes. John and Margaret married on 10/28/1829, Knox County, Ind. John died 5/17/1866. Margaret lived until 1881, and never moved more than 50 miles from there in all that time. They had the following issue:

- | | |
|------------------|----------|
| A. William Alton | B - 1830 |
| B. George Alton | B - 1835 |
| C. Mary Alton | B - 1835 |



ABRAHAM BARRACKMAN
OLDEST OF PETER BARRACKMAN'S SONS
LIVING IN KNOX COUNTY, INDIANA

(Continued - Children of Abe and Elizabeth Barrackman)

D.	Juanita Alton	B - 1833
E.	Abraham Alton	B - 1841
F.	Louisa Alton	B - 1840

They also adopted George W. McGiffin B. Oct. 1844 in Mississippi. George married Elizabeth Barkman, niece of Margaret Barkman, his adopted daughter. Elizabeth was a daughter of William S. and Deanna Barkman. George and Elizabeth had 3 boys:

A.	John W. McGiffin
B.	George W. McGiffin, who died 8/31/1893
C.	Charles W. McGiffin, who died in 1880

II. Catherine Barkman - B - 1803. Married Fredrick Claycomb in Knox County, 7/29/1823. Had child:

A. William Claycomb B - 1824

No further information of Fredrick Claycomb or William.

II. Catherine Barkman marries Heywood Underwood, who served his term as Constable for Knox Co., Ind. Heywood died 1857. We know he was born in 1791, but have no further knowledge. They had 6 children:

A.	Susan Underwood	B - 1838
B.	Martha Underwood	B - 1839
C.	James Underwood	B - 1843
D.	Alexander Underwood	B - 1844
E.	Andrew Underwood	B - 1841
F.	John Underwood	B - 1845

We note they had Andrew Claycomb, who was born in 1836, living with them, so undoubtedly Andrew was also a son born to Catherine. Catherine Barkman Underwood died in the 1880's.

III. Susan Barkman - B. Knox Co., Ind., 6/4/1804. Died - 1/15/1867, Knox Co., Ind. Buried West Salem Cemetery. Married Jacob Fee, B - 1793. Died - 8/31/1873. Buried West Salem Cemetery. Susan marries Jacob, 5/31/1820. The Fee's are an early and prominent family in Vincennes.

A. Children of Jacob-Susan Fee:

1.	Sally Ann	B. 1827 - D. 4/27/1845
2.	Clark	B. 1828 - D. 4/16/1842
3.	Catherine	B. 1834 - D. 9/3/1838

ABRAHAM BARACKMAN
 CLERK OF DEPT. BARACKMAN'S HOME
 LISTED IN THE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

17. 18. Children of Jacob and Susan (1891)

1. William B. 1894 - D. 12/17/1911
 2. Jacob B. B. 1897 - D. 1/1/1911
 3. Margaret B. 1899 - D. 1/1/1911

(All at Fort Belk Cemetery - No record of other children.)

19. Isaac Barkman - B. Knox County, Indiana 1806, He died at Berryville, Illinois date of death unknown. His first wife was Sarah Bell, who he married 10/4/1830. They had the following children:

A. Isaac Newton Barkman, 1st son of Isaac Sr. He was born 1835, Died 1879. His wife was Martha Caddy, B. 1830 - Died 1879, buried at Bell Cemetery, Sumner, Illinois. Married Martha in 1857. They had the following issues:

a. Mary Ellen Barkman - B. Berryville, 6/2/1871. Married George Cunningham of Danville, Illinois. Had five children. (To appear in Knox County Records.) Mary died 1913.

b. Twins who Died in Infancy year of 1873

c. Charles Haylor Barkman - Born 1/11/1875 in Illinois. He taught school in Lawrence County, Illinois. Later he went West. While there, war broke out the Span and Charles enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps, at Mare Island, California. He was assigned to Co. B, 1st Battalion. He served 5 years in the Marine Corps in the Philippines, and on the Isle of Samar, the Isle of Ison and the Federal Prison in Charleston, Mass. He was then transferred to the Navy Yard at his request and was honorably discharged from that area. Charles met and married Miss Fitch Brewster, who was B. 2/29/1886, in Lucas, Iowa. They were married on 5/17/1906. They had two children.

A. John Willis Barkman - B. 1/14/1907, in Collinsville, Illinois. Married Ruth Taylor, B. 9/27/1905. Were married at Klamath Falls, Oregon, 6/29/1928. Issues:

1. Jason Charles Barkman, B. 10/11/1932 at Klamath Falls, Ore. Married at Fort Bragg, Calif., 8/11/1951. Is Jeanne Scott, B. 11/2/1931. Have two children: Jason and Jeanne.

2. David Lee Barkman - B. 12/15/1935. Is Mary, born 1936.

ABRAHAM BARRACKMAN
GRANDFATHER OF PETER BARRACKMAN'S SONS
LIVING IN ENCL COUNTY, INDIANA

b. Cynthia May Barakman- B. 5/23/1956,
Rt. Lewis Washington.
c. Baby Girl - Dec. 25, 1960

2. Michael Taylor Barakman- B. 9/5/1941
at Oakland, Calif.

B. Isaac T. Barakman- B. 10/16/1908, Collinsville,
Illinois. Married Forest Ranger, Lewis Rice,
B. 3/11/1902, on 6/22/1928. Divorced Lewis
11/37. Isaac then married Lt. Frank H. Klatt,
April, 1942. Divorced 10/29/1954. Isaac and
Lewis Rice had 1 child.
1. Rita Ann Rice- B. 3/20/1929 at Flagstaff,
Arizona. Married Ray Wilson born 4/3/1923
at Oakland, California. Married 7/5/48 at
Reno, Nevada. They have the following children:
a. Mark Wilson B. 6/20/1949
b. Paul Wilson B. 9/5/1950
c. Laura Wilson B. 4/23/1956
d. David Wilson B. 7/3/1953
e. John H. Wilson B. 8/24/1957

All Born in San Francisco, California

d. Wm. Isaac Barakman, b. 6/14/1879. Married Est.
Carrie McMiller on 2/24/1904. Married 2nd
Rosa Williams on 12/20/1909. She was born
3/17/1879 and died 12/13/1938. Wm Isaac died
6/20/1937. Buried in St. Cloud Military Cemetery,
Florida. Served in Spanish- American War. No
children either marriage.

B. Second child of Isaac Newton Barakman was.
Mary Jane Barakman. Married to George Greenwood.
Mary Jane Died 1885. No issue.

C. Third child of Isaac and Martha was Saba Barakman.
She married Levi Cunningham. Saba D- 1882. Had
the following children. George- Mary- Emma-
Lillian- Leda and Ellen.

D. Last child of Isaac and Martha was:
John Alton Barakman B. 4/4/1851
at Lutan Township, Illinois. D-
9/30/1918 at Lawrenceville, Illinois.
John married first.

1st. Ollie C. Bell, married 12/18/1872
B- in Illinois. Died in 1877.
John and Ollie had no issue.
John Barakman married 2nd wife on
10/21/1872

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2nd. Margaret Mahala Wright,
B. 1863 in Berryville,
Illinois. She died in
Sandoz, Illinois.

17 Isaac Barekman= B. Knox County, Indiana, 1866
Married his 2nd wife, Mrs. Sophia Rourke on
11/28/1885, in Illinois. She was born 1825.
Had the following issue:

A. Jacob Barekman= B. Laurensville, Illinois,
3/13/1858, D. 12/28/1905, Highland County,
Illinois. Married 2/17/1884 to Mary Ellen
Williams, B. 9/18/1853, Sumner, Illinois.
Married 2/17/1884. Mary Ellen died 5/3/1940

They had three sons:

1. John A. Barekman, B. 10/11/1884, Berryville,
Illinois. He married Blanche May Hampton, B.
3/3/1893, Sumner, Illinois. They had 3 girls:
a. Rosella Barekman Harler B. 5/23/1922
b. Violet Barekman Moore B. 2/3/1924
c. Mrs. Dorey Jones B. 10/20/1926

All girls born at Berryville, Illinois.

B. James Barekman B. 12/8/1890 at Berryville, Illinois.
D. 12/6/1918 in Coal Mine accident. Buried Shelburn
Ill. Cemetery. Married Rosa Evie Leaton 7/8/1914,
B. 1890 D. 1932. Had one child.

a. Robert Barekman = B. 12/ 1915, Shelburn,
Illinois. Married 8/11/1946, Dorothy
Elizabeth Frost. No children. They live
in Tucson, Arizona. Elizabeth has 2
children by an earlier marriage.

C. Christopher Columbus Barekman= B. 4/4/1892, Berryville,
Illinois. Married Maude Agnes Horstoll, B. 4/22/1893,
Highland County, Illinois. Married 1/3/1913. Maude
died 9/3/1960, Bloomington, Illinois. They had 2 sons:

1. Charles Jacob Harold Barekman = B. 7/21/1914
in Gney, Illinois. Married Lilly M. Doughty,
B. 10/29/1917. They were married on 12/19/1939.
Have two sons:

a. Morris Ray Barekman= B. 12/26/1941 in
Bloomington, Illinois.
b. Garret Darrel Barekman B= 5/3/1946
in Bloomington, Illinois.



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2. Harlan Christopher Barkman B= 7/19/1925
 in Calfax, Illinois. 1st. wife Vivian Cambren,
 B. 6/14/1923, in Pinkneyville, Illinois. They
 were married 10/24/1942. Had the following
 three children:
 a. Sharon Vivian Barkman = B. 2/8/1944
 b. Harlan C. Barkman = B. 12/31/1944
 c. Alan E. Barkman = B. 12/31/1944
 All born in Bloomington, Illinois.
 Harlan Barkman & Vivian divorced 9/5/51.

2. Harlan married 2nd wife Ruth Ann Lyle,
 B. 2/25/1933, in Bloomington, Illinois.
 Married 10/5/1951. Have two children:
 a. Rodney Deane Barkman- B. 10/6/1953
 in Bloomington, Illinois.
 b. Debra Lora Barkman B. 10/15/1955
 in Bloomington, Illinois.

B. Charolotte Barkman daughter of Isaac Sr. and second
 wife Mrs. Sophia Rourk (Nee Harston) was Born 1861.
 no further records on Charolotte.

C. Andrew Barkman B= 1865. Last son born to Isaac Sr.
 and Sophia Rourk. No further knowledge of Andrew.

D. Eliza Barkman- B= 1868. Married Charles Driman
 1 child. Nothing more known of her life.

Mrs. Sophia Rourk had a daughter Annie B= 1854.
 She no doubt took the name of Barkman. Mrs. Rourk
 Barkman was born in New York .

The four children born to Sophia and Isaac Sr.
 were born in Lukin Township, Illinois.
 Information is needed for this group.

V. Abraham Jr. Barkman, son of Absand Elisabeth Barkman,
 B. Knox County, Indiana. 1813 = D. 9/28/1854. Abs
 never married. Buried Indiana Presby. Church Yard.
 Abs was active in Civic Affairs and church duties.

VI. William S. Barkman = B. Knox County, Indiana on 5/14/1811.
 D. 1/22/1882. Buried Indiana Church. Married Diadema
 Morgan, B. 2/7/1826- D=5/13/1896. Buried Indiana Church.
 Married 8/20/1842. They have seven children:
 A. Elizabeth Barkman = B. 12/9/1849. Married Coe, McGiffens
 see page addenda for full family particulars.

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VI Continued children of William S. Barkman

- B. Margaret Barkman = B. 1842. Married 5/26/1859 to Joseph Grimes.
 - C. Susan Barekman = B. 1846. Married Joe Dillenger 10/28/1875 Susan died 3/15/1922.
 - D. Evelyn Barkman = B. 1850. Married 9/23/1874. Married Joel Ray.
 - E. Clark Barkman = B. Knox County, Ind., 1851.
 Death unknown. Married 1st. Mary Walton on 11/12/1873.
 Had the following children:
 - 1. John Barekman = B. 12/4/1874. D. 4/19/1942.
 Buried Trinity Church, Knox County, Indiana.
 Married to 1st. wife, Essie Compton 4/6/1898.
 No record of children.
 John marries 2nd. wife, Mrs. Ida Parich Law.
 12/1/1929, Laurensville County, Illinois. No record of children.
 - 2. Margaret Barekman = B. 1876
 - 3. Joseph Barekman = B. 1878
 - 4. Clinton Barekman = B. 1879 D. 3/30/1898
 Was thrown from a horse.
 - F. Alice H. Barekman = B. 1857 D. 1925
 Alice H. Barekman = B. 1854. Married James Lafferty.
 - G. Abraham A. Barekman = B. 1857 D. 1925
 Buried at Indiana Church.
- The history of William S. Barkman and Diadema will be researched further and found in Knox County Kinfolks.

- VII Andrew Barkman, the youngest child of Abe and Elizabeth Barrackman, was born in 1824. He continued to farm his share of the land that had been granted to the heirs of Peter Barrackman in 1785. William S. Barkman also farmed on the Barkman land, but Isaac Barkman had moved to Illinois and Andrew farmed his third (1/3) of the land. In the year of 1847, Andrew married Louisa J. Fitch. She was born in Illinois in the year of 1830. The Fitch's came originally from New York. Louisa died in 1883. They had 9 Children:
- A. Abraham Jr. Barekman = B. 1848 D. 9/8/1951
 Buried at Indiana Presby. Church.
 - B. John W. Barekman B. 1852
 - C. Lewis Barekman ?
 - D. Laura Barekman B. ? Married Joel B. King 9/5/1877.
 - E. Angelina Barekman. Married John F. Gilmore 8/11/1871.



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 LIVING IN FOX CREEK, INDIANA

VII Continued Children of Andrew Barkman

P.	Andy J. Barkman	B. 1852.	D. 12/4/1890.
	Married Mary ?	B. 1850	D. 1898
Q.	Edly Barkman B.	1851	
R.	Richard Barkman	B. 1858	D. 1891. Simple Man
S.	Ellie Barkman	B. 1859.	

Note:- Mr. Hank Jones III. is an accredited genealogist on the Barkman families of Maryland- Pennsylvania- New York. Mr. Jones of 563 Main Ave. San Leandro, California, is my co- author on our book called the " Related Barkman- Barkman- Barkman Families of America".

Any one wishing to add information is invited to contact Mr. Hank Jones.



Some notes on Revolutionary War Soldiers related through marriage to Barrackman's of Knox County, Indiana.

The father of John Alton, Jr. (the younger John Alton married Abigail Barrackman (nee Margaret), was born in Maryland on May 12, 1759. There is a dispute as to whether it was Pennsylvania, or Maryland. John Sr. married Catherine Adams who was born in 1764. State is not known. John Alton Sr. was a private in "The Rangers of The Frontiers" in Captain Dunn's Co. He was also a private in the continental line serving from Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. He served under Captain William Parr as a priv. 5th class in 1772, and also served under Captain John Walls 2nd Reg. in 1782. They had land grants, and were prominent settlers. John Alton Sr. died July 18, 1823.

The father of Frederick Claycomb, Jr. was born in Pennsylvania, in 1758. He lived in Berkeley County, Virginia where he enlisted in May of 1781. He served under Captain Jarrette Co. under Col. Darke's 5th Regiment. He had a pension, lived in Johnson Township, Knox County, Indiana, where he died in 1846. His son Frederick Jr. was born 1787. He married Abigail Barrackman daughter Catherine July 29, 1823. Claycomb Sr. was married to Eliza _____ last name unknown. This family were also early settlers to Knox County, Indiana.

Serving under Major Francis Vigo, on July 19, 1790 was Jacob Poe. He was given 100 acres of land for his service as a militia man for Knox County, Indiana. Jacob Poe, Jr. married Susan Barrackman youngest daughter of Abigail Barrackman. They lived in Johnson Township. One of the earliest water-mills on the Duchoe was built by the Poes. It was used as a grist mill-saw mill, and at a later date as a steam mill. They also had land grants in 1785. Were close friends then and today with the Barrackman family.

NOTE- it is now known that Elizabeth Anthis who married Abraham Barrackman is the daughter of George Anthis or Antis. The Antis family served in the Revolutionary War in Maryland and Pennsylvania - and then came to Knox County, Indiana. The Antis family had land grants in Decker Township. They also took out land during various land sales. George Anthis died in 1802. Leaving land and personal property to his following children. George Jr.- Margaret Creek-Eizabeth Barrackman-Francis-John-Jacob-Julian and Catharine Anthis. Can any one tell me who was father to George Anthis Sr.?



IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN.

I, Abraham Barkman of the County of Knox in the State of Indiana, being in sound mind and memory, and knowing the uncertainty of life, do make and publish this as my last will and testament revoking all others, to-wit:

1. I give unto God my Soul and body who gave it to me.

2. I bequeath unto my beloved Sons, Andrew, William S., and Abraham Barkman Sr. my home place containing two hundred acres more or less, Andrew to have one third part of said place, viz: Sixty six and $2\frac{2}{3}$ acres more or less, and the balance to be divided equally between William S. and Abraham so as to include William's clearing in his share, viz: each to have sixty six and $2\frac{2}{3}$ acres of land more or less.

3. I bequeath to my son, Isaac in addition to eighty acres of land which I have deeded him in town on North Range Eleven West Section Nineteen as well as the personal property which I have given him five dollars as full of his share of my estate.

4. I bequeath unto my beloved wife, Elizabeth a third part of my home place, and a third part of all my personal property during her natural life time, and at her decease the personal property to be equally divided between my sons, William S., Andrew, and Abraham.

5. I bequeath unto my beloved daughters Peggy Allen, wife of John Allen, Susan Ann, wife of Jacob Ann, and Catherine Underwood, five dollars each in addition to what I have already given them.

6. The balance of all my personal property to be divided between my Sons, William S. and Abraham.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty third day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty two.

Abraham Barkman

The words more or less
interlined before Signature.

Signed, sealed, published and declared in the presence of the testator and in the presence of each other.

Minard S. Smith
Joshua H. Smith



In the Name of God

I George Antis of Knox County in the Indiana Territory Being weak in body but of sound & perfect mind & sensory thanks be given unto for the mercy calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die. Do make publish and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say, first I give & bequeath unto Margaret my dearly beloved wife the sum of one hundred Dollars together with the third part of all my moveable affects with the enjoyment while she remains widow of one third part of the place wherein I now live and further the enjoyment and possession of the House in which I now live and all the House hold furniture belonging or appertaining thereto And I further give and Devise unto my son Frances Antis his Heirs and assigns the two hundred acres of land lying on White River and on which I now live to have to him the said Frances Antis his Heirs and assigns for ever and I further give and bequeath unto my said son Frances one pair of plough Irons which are here part of all the Edge Carpenters or Coopers Tools now in my possession And also I give and Devise unto my two sons John and Jacob Antis their Heir and assigns the four hundred acres of land which I own in the additional Donation lying on the River Dee Shee and known and Designated by the number one hundred and seventy seven to have to them the said John and Jacob their Heir and assigns for ever and to be equally divide in quantity and quality between them the said John and Jacob Antis and I further give and bequeath unto my said son John Antis one pair of plough Irons which a third part of all the Edge Carpenter or Coopers Tools now in my possession And I yet further give and bequeath unto my said son, Jacob one pair of plough Irons together with the one third part of all the Edge Carpenters or Coopers Tools now in my possession.

And I further give and bequeath unto my son George Antis the sum of Fifty Dollars to be paid to him the said George Antis in one year after my Decease And I yet further give and bequeath unto my Eldest Daughter Christena Hutson the sum of fifty Dollars to be paid her in one year after my Decease And I further give and bequeath unto my second Daughter Mary the sum of fifty Dollar to be paid to her in one year after my Decease and these three legacies of fifty Dollars each given and bequeathed to the said George Christena And Mary I give and bequeath it to them as and for their full portion of my Estate and it is my will and desire that they shall have each the above sums to them bequeathed and no more and I do further give and bequeath unto my beloved Daughter Julian the yearling mare colt. I now own together with one good Cow and Calf one Heep with Calf and a good Bed and Bed Clothes And I yet further give and bequeath unto my beloved Daughter Catherine the sum of Sixty Dollar together with one Cow and Calf, one Heifer with Calf and one good Bed with Bed Clothes And lastly as to the residue of my personal Estate goods & Chattle of what kind or nature so ever which are not given and bequeathed It is my will and desire that it be equally divided without venue Sale or Suite at Law betwixt my seven Children, Margaret Cook, Elizabeth Zarackman, Frances Antis, John Antis, Jacob Antis, Julian Antis & Catherine Antis.

And it is further my will and desire that the said Frances Antis be by this my last will and testament bound to clear and put under good Fence for the said John Antis on the place given and decided to said John, five acres of ground which ground shall be cleared as is common in that neighbourhood and on such part of said place as said John chose to have it cleared. And further that the said Frances Antis be by this my will and Testament bound to clear for the said Jacob Antis five acres of ground on the place given and devised to him the said Jacob and to put the same under good fence which ground shall be cleared as is common in that neighbourhood and on such part of

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said place as be the Jacob or his Gardian shall choose to have it cleard. And it is further my will and desire that the said Frances Antis be bound to have the five to be cleard on Johns place ready for the plough in one year after my Decease and the five acres which he is to clear for the said Jacob, ready for the plough in two years after my Decease Here by revoking des allowing and disavailing utterly all and every former wills Testament to Legatus and Bequests or Executors by me in any wise named Ratifying and allowing this and no other to be my last Will and Testament in Wilneps where of I have here unto set my hand and Seal this Eleventh Day of May one thousand Eight hundred and two.

Eight hundred and two

Signed Sealed published and declard by the
above named George Antis to be his last will
and Testament in presence of us

his
George Antis Seal
X
mark

David Robb
J w Henhendall
George Ferguson
Adam Harnels

Indiana Territory Knox County Probate Office on the eighth day of June 1802 this Will was duly proved before me Abraham Westfall esquire Judge of Probate in and for the said County on the oaths of David Robb George Ferguson and Adam Harnels three of the Subscribing witnesses there to

In testimony where of I have here unto set my hand the day and year above written.

Abraham Westfall
J-Pro-K-C.

*Elizabeth ANTIS Barrackman is the wife of
Peter Barrackman son abraham.
This Elizabeth and she are married in 1799*

LAST WILL &
TESTAMENT OF GEORGE ANTIS dec e

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HENRY BARRACKMAN

FAMILY HISTORY

Henry Barrackman, middle son of Peter was a very quiet man. There are no records to show that he had any war service as a Militia Man in Vincennes or service in the War of 1812.

Henry's main interest was his farm and ever growing family of children and grandchildren. Julia, his wife was so engrossed in her home and family that even her last name remains a mystery. They were a very devout family group and the church played a very large part in their lives.

Henry was active in community affairs, but never ^{as} a leader, being content to let Abraham, his elder brother, do the talking. Henry helped in deciding where new bridges and roads should be built. He helped in deciding the division of Decker Township and where the churches in his vicinity should be created.

Henry's first born was John, who later became an associate judge of the Knox County Circuit Court. John handled all the legal affairs for the Barkman tribe. His name is to be found in wills, deeds, probate records, etc. for this large family of early Indiana settlers.

Henry's land holdings were large. Land along the Wabash River, the White River, and in the River Dushes area in Johnson Township.

Henry's son, Henry Jr. Barkman, lived in the Johnson Township area. He also had a large family. Henry Jr.'s son, Isaac, was keenly interested in church affairs and donated land for the building of a chapel. This chapel was called the "Barkman Chapel". A new frame building was erected with the help of all the able-bodied Barkmans and the neighboring farmers. The seats and the pulpit were also made by Barkman members.

The Barkman Chapel was dedicated in the year of 1893. These faithful Methodists now set about gaining a pastor of their own. In those days the preachers rode a circuit, at times one pastor would have as many as six chapels in his circuit.

To finance the church, suppers and plays were given. People rode from all over to attend these events. They came on horseback, in wagons, buggies and carriages. The closest parishioners came on foot over the fertile Indiana farmland.

Quilts were made and embroidered with the names of the church members buried beneath. These were sold to add to the church's finances. Some of these quilts are in existence today.

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In the year of 1904 the church mysteriously burned to the ground. It is believed that it was willfully set afire. There are many members among today's Barkmans who remember this occurrence.

Once again - - the Methodists of that area were without a place of worship. In time a new church was erected and named Trinity Church. The full records of this new church will be told in "Knox County Kinfolk".

Henry Barkman was B. in Pennsylvania 6/23/1776 and was brought as a child to Knox County, Indiana. He married about 1802 but we find no record of his marriage. Henry married Julia, no record of her last name are we able to find either. Julia was B. in 1771. D. 3.5/1863. They had - 10 - children who lived to adulthood - - all born in Knox County, Indiana.

I. John Barkman B. 2/21/1804. He married Lydia Mages 4/4/1820. No knowledge of Lydia's history other than she was B. 1800 and died 1870. John D. 2/27/1863. They had the following issue:

- A. Julian Barkman - B. 1/7/1827. D. 1906.
Married William Kirk 12/3/1850. Children were
 - 1. Ann Elizabeth Kirk - B. 1851.
 - 2. Sarah Kirk - B. 1853.
 - 3. Rachel Jane Kirk - B. 1/8/1856. D. 6/16/1926.
- B. Martha Barkman - B. 1830 Married Edward McCormick 10/22/1857
- C. Thomas Barkman - B. 1834. Married Nancy Richards who was B. 1835.
Married in 1860.
- D. Patrick Duncan Barkman - B. 1835
- E. Orabelle Barkman - B. 1849.
- II. Margaret Susan Barkman - B. 1/4/1805. Married John Setzler 10/9/1827.
John D. 1830's. Issue:
 - A. John Setzler
 - B. Samuel Setzler

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** C. Sarah Setzler - Need further research ***** On Setzler Family*****

III. Peter Barkman= B. 11/4/1807. Marries first, Mary Van Camp 2/28/1835.
No knowledge of Mary's birth or death. Their Children are:

A. Mercy Barkman= B. 1837. Married 5/26/1859 to Joseph William Grims.

B. Julian Barkman= B. 1838.

C. Elizabeth Barkman = B. 1840.

IV. Peter Barkman and his second wife, Patience Graves, born about 1825,
were married 10/20/1843. There is no knowledge of her death, nor of
Peter's, or their place of burial

A. Isabelle Barkman= B. 1858 Married to Lark Anthis 3/25/1877.

IV. Abraham Barkman= B. 3/11/1809. Marries first wife Charlotta Jordan
10/23/1832. Charlotta was B. 3/1813 and D. 10/23/1835. Issue:

A. Henry F. Barkman= B. 10/12/1834. Henry marries Nancy Ann
McCormick 4/14/1855. Minor child.

1. Minnesota Barackman = B. 6/1/1864. Minnie marries Joseph
Osle 6/28/1880, who was B. 1854.

Henry dies in 1864 and Nancy Ann Barkman marries Henry
Dobois 8/5/1868.

IV. (Continued) Abraham Barkman marries second wife, Ellen Warfe 11/12/1835
No record of Ellen's birth or death. They had one child.

B. Robert Barkman B. 8/8/1837. Marries Martha Crow 12/7/1872. Martha
has no remaining records. Three Children:

1. Ira Barkman= B. 1874

2. Ida J. Barkman= B. 1876

3. Abraham Barkman= B. 1878 and D. 1924.

Do you have any knowledge of this family group????

IV. (continued) Abraham Barkman marries 3rd wife, Eliza Harness, B. 10/23/1819.
There record reveals that they were married 8/20/1839 by John Barkman, Associate
Judge of Knox County Circuit Court. Abraham died 10/20/1841 Issue:

A. Ellen Barkman B. 6/8/1840 died 2/27/1873. Ellen marries 12/7/1855.

Eliza B. Langley 2- 3/11/1811. They had the following Children:

1. Thomas Lenard Langley = B. 9/1/1856

2. Sarah Eliza Langley = B. 3/15/1858 D. 7/17/1866

3. Henry C. Langley = B. 9/27/1859

4. Elizabeth Ellen " = B. 3/8/1871 D. 5/1/1813

5. John William Langley = B. 9/23/1872



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V. Joshua Barkman - B. 11/12/1813. Joshua takes out land in Decker Township, Knox County, Indiana year of 1836. He married Jane Dixon or Dickson. According to the Western Sun Newspaper Vincennes Indiana, on March 18, 1837. It is possible that father was Francis Dickson who came from Leno County, Indiana to Knox County, Indiana, about 1828. Joshua name appears on legal papers in 1840. We do not know if they had children.

VI. David Barkman B. 2/4/1815. Marries to Lucinda Parrenter 12/10/1836. They go to Colorado and are never heard from again. They probably continue to use the name Barkman where his brothers change to Barkman.

VII. Henry Barkman, Junior - B. 12/21/1816. Married Eliza Farness Barkman, widow of Henry's brother, Abraham. Eliza B. 10/13/1819 and married Henry 1/12/1843. Eliza D. 2/20/1872. They have the following children:

A. Hannah Elizabeth Barkman - B. 9/21/1843, married John J. Smith 9/29/1864. Hannah D. 4/30/1873.

B. Anne Eliza Barkman - B. 3/16/1844. Married 3/16/1863 to Fielding Catt.

C. Sidney Francis Barkman - D. 8/11/1844

D. John W. Barkman - B. 4/12/1846 and D. 2/27/1863.

E. William E. Barkman - B. 3/30/1849. Married Lizzie Cardinal 10/21/1873. Have two children:

*****I, _____ Claypool B. 222- ***** Information Wanted ***
2. William E. Barkman - B. 1878

F. Samuel Hamilton Barkman - B. 5/2/1857 and D. 7/7/1922. Married Sarah Catt who was B. 10/7/1857. She died 8/11/1923. Married on 10/5/1878. They had two daughters:

1. Minnie Barkman

2. Myrtle Barkman - Married J. O'Donnell on 7/21/1898.

G. Julia Ann Barkman - B. 7/16/1852. D. 3/5/1883.

H. Isaac Farness Barkman - B. 9/13/1853. Married first wife Della Purcell 8/15/1869. She D. ??, Information anyone? *****

3. Rosa May Barkman - B. 12/22/1870

Isaac Farness Barkman marries in Illinois his second wife, Lark Langley who was B. 4/3/1851.

They had the following issue:

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H. Isaac Harness Barkman (Continued)

1. Zora Independance Barekman - B. 1, 20 1874 and D. 9/22/1874.
2. Ellen Eliza Barekman - B. 9/14/1879 and D. 10/10/1897.
3. Helen Riley Barekman - B. 9/14/1889. Married Otto Klinger 9/20/1907 in Lawrenceville, Illinois. D. 6/7/1941.

Helen and Ellen were twin sisters.

4. Henry Moses Barekman - B. 7/18/1882. D. 4/6/1885.
5. Lester Gould Barekman - B. 11/23/1887. Married 10/21/1920 in Richland County, Illinois to Florence Miller who was B. 3/20/1897. They were married in Olney, Illinois. They had the following three children, all born in Illinois.

A. William Miller Barekman - B. 12/21/1922. Married Dolores Eskew on 6/8/1947. Dolores was B. 2/22/1922/ They have three (3) girls all in Vincennes, Indiana

1. Ann Elizabeth Barekman - B. 7/16/1949.
2. Mary Kathryn Barekman - B. 3/13/1953.
3. Carol Lynn Barekman - B. 12/2/1958.

B. Lois Allen Barekman - B. 6/4/1926. Married Reverend Samuel Miles Taylor 4/10/1950. Samuel b. 11/24/1930. They have one child:

1. Rebecca Ruth Barekman - B. 1/25/1955.

The Reverend, Mrs. Taylor and child are now in British Guiana.

C. Helen Marie Barekman - B. 7/6/1928. Married Charles Richard Alexander 9/3/1950. Charles B. 7/9/1920. Two children.

1. David Richard Alexander - B. 12/19/1951
2. Ethyl Marie Alexander - B. 3/21/1957.

6. Denver Roy Barekman - B. 4/20/1889. Married Martha Gardner 7/10/1914 at Salina, Kansas. Roy D. 7/15/1942. They had two girls. Denver R ay was a Methodist minister.

A. Dorothy Marie Barekman - B. 9/10/1920

B. Helen Joan Barekman - B. 5/1928

VIII. Brown Barkman - B. 1/13/1821. Brown married five times. His first wife was Frances H. Flowers - They were married 2/14/1844. Frances D. 4/2/1853. Buried at Trinity Church Yard. Issue

A. Ann Barekman who married first William Smith. Issue

1. Minerva Smith

She married second husband, Ben Fowler and had 3 children:

1. Tom Fowler - - 2. Cathie Fowler - - Earl Fowler

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VIII Second wife - - Brown marries Martha J. Chubb of Laurenceville, Illinois.
Date -- 1/24/1854. Martha buried in Illinois. Issue - one child.

A. Jane B. Barrackman - B. 1854 - Never marries and dies in
Laurenceville. Buried next to her mother.

Third Wife - - Brown then marries Mrs. Sarah Ann Sachels, nee Dicon
on 2/16/1856. No children.

Fourth wife - - Brown marries sister to Sarah Ann Sachels, Miss Dicon
(Fanny). Brown divorced Fanny. They were married about 1860.

Fifth Wife - - Brown marries his fifth and last wife, Mrs. Enoch E. Davis,
nee Sary Taylor in about 1862. Sary Taylor - B. 9/2/1832. in Knox County
Indiana, she died 11/1/1906. Brown dies 4/15/1893. They had the following
children:

** Note - Unless specified, all the following are born in Knox County, Indiana

A. Charles K. Barrackman - B. 9/3/1863, Knox County, Indiana.
Married Mary Valentine Meyers 3/14/1891. Mary was born
in 1867 and died in 1924. Charles taught school and died in
in 7/18/1903. They are both buried at Indiana Church.
They had following children.

I. Bessie Barrackman - B. 3/1/1896. Married Oscar C.
Meyer 11/3/1920. Oscar born 5/11/1893. They
had two boys:

A. Francis Meyer - B. 8/16/1921. He married
Lola Campbell who was B. 12/30/1923. Have
three children:

1. John F. Meyer - B. 2/20/1945
2. Barbara Meyer - B. 7/29/1948
3. Nancy Meyer - B. 4/24/1953.

Francis Meyer served in the U. S. Air Force from
1942 to 1945

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- B. J. C. Meyer - B. 6/24/1926. He married Betty Byers who was B. 3/14/1931. They have four children.
1. John M. Meyer - B. 3/8/1949.
 2. Bradley Meyer - B. 2/9/1950.
 3. Jeffery Meyer - B. 4/18/1955.
 4. Carla Meyer - B. 9/25/1960.

II. Ocey Barekman - B. 9/9/1894.

III. Charles Barekman - - Died at early age.

IV. Ralph Barekman Married La Verne Holt B. _____ on 8/31/1924. They have the following children.

A. Mary Helen Barekman - B. 1922 and died in 1938

B. Gerald Barekman - B. 1926 and married Lois Small in 1947. Have five children:

1. Gary Barekman - B. 4/24/1948.

2. Terry Barekman - B. 10/26/1952.

3. Gail Barekman - B. 7/14/1950.

4. Mary Jean Barekman - B. 10/18/1959.

Gerald served in World War II. in France and Germany.

C. Virginia Jean Barekman - B. 1932. Married Roger Clark. They have two children:

1. Carol Ann Clark - B. 7/6/1958

2. Stephen Clark - B. 5/15/1959.

V. Earl N. Barekman - B. 1895 and died 12/10/1908

B. Hattie Elmore Barkman - B. 12/10/1865 - D. 1955.
Married Daniel Webster Summitt on 3/3/1889. They had 2 children:

I. Agnes Summitt - B. 1/31/1892. Married Benjamin Alex Huffer who was born 8/20/1893. Married on 11/11/1916.

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A. Royce Marshall Huffer - Married 1st wife

1. Marcia Lee Huffer - B. 10/2/1949.
2. Clara Kay Huffer - B. 1/27/1948
3. Royce Marshall Huffer, Jr. - B. 6/2/1951
4. Jana Huffer - B. 1955.

Royce Marshall Huffer marries his second wife, Mildred Bohmier.

II. Mildred Elmore Summit - Married Henry Ferguson in 1947.
Incomplete - Need further records

C. Mamie Barekman - B. 3/28/1868. Married Lillie Lane 11/30/1893.
Mamie taught school. Lillie Lane - B. 3/28/1872. and died 2/12, 1956
Mamie died 12/19/1925. They had the following children:

I. Ernest Hobert Barekman - B. 12/2/1897. He marries Mary
Lottie Kroeger on 5/2/-1903. They had following issue:

A. Ernest Paul Barekman - B. 5/27/1927. In 1950 he
marries Charlotte Kreuz in Monroe, Michigan

B. Alva Eugene Barekman - B. 2/18/1931. Marries
8/6/1954 to Maryline Sue Summers who was born
2/13/1935. Have three children:

1. Cynthia Sue Barekman - B. 3/14/1955.

2/ Kenneth Eugene Barekman - B. 3/24/1958.

3. Paul Edward Barekman - B. 8/3/1960.

C. Patricia Ann Barekman - B. 7/3/1939

D. Alta Celia Barekman - B. 5/29/1929.

Marries 5/29/1950 to George Thomas Hogan who was
B. 3/29/1925. They have two children:

1. Janet Lynn Hogan - B. 5/23/1955.

2. Diana Elaine Hogan - B. 6/10/1957
Both born in Richmond, California

II. Edith Barekman (Twin to Ernest). Born 12/2/1897. Died 1953
Marries a Biddie. Had the following children:

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- A. Eugene Biddle - B. 4/6/1924 - Marries Barbara Black and live at Bunker Hill Air Base, Peru, Indiana
- B. Earl Biddle - B. 7/11/1922 and died 12/1/1958.
- C. James Biddle - B. 10/27/1927 - Marries Lois Renner Lives at Wheatland.
- D. Jane Biddle Snyder - B. 10/27/1927 - Marries Lee Snyder and lives at Englewood, California

Jane and James are twins.

III. Alna Troy Barekman - B. 1/22/1910. Marries Alna J. Roberson 8/18/1928. Alna born 10/9/1907. They one child.

A. Alan Dale Roberson - Born 3/27/1937. Marries Donna Miller - In 8/8/1958.

1. Son born 9/24/1959 at Fort Hood, Texas.

D. Fannie H. Barekman - B. 3/1 /1870. Marries Allen B. Reel 3/14/1867. Fannie D' 5/7/1957. Allen Died - 12/29/1951.

1. Lena Reel - B. 10/26/1892. Married Homer Gouckenour 6/22/1929.

2. Herman B. Reel - B. 7/24/1898. Marries Loucylle Blair in 4/27/1920. Herman died 10/24/1927 in Vincennes.

E. Marshall Barekman - B. 6/26/1872. Marries 4/27/1896 to Kathryn Reel, who was B. 9/28/1875. Marshall died 7/5/1937. Buried at Mount Zion near Monroe City, Indiana

F. John Barekman - No records ' Died early.

G. Sherman Barekman ' B. 4/4/1876. Married Myrtle May who was B. 8/21/1882. Married 12/25/1903 ' Myrtle did 12/6/1958. Note that their children are born in various states.

L. Charlie K. Barekman - B. 8/1/1905 Fox County, Indiana and married Helen Sisney who was B. 12/24/1907. Charlie Died. 10/1/1960, in Marion, Illinois. He is buried at Maplewood Cemetery. They had one child:

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- A. George Barekman - B. 2/18/1927 in Marlon, Illinois.
Marries 9/21/1943 to Betty Jean Booth who was B. 9/20/1926.
They had following children.
1. Karen Jean Barekman - B. 11/3/1944 at Herrin, Illinois.
 2. George Barekman, Jr. - B. 6/9/1950 at Carbondale, Ill.
- II. Leonidas Mores de Barekman - B. 4/13/1907 at Knox County, Ind.
died at Chandler, Indiana. 1909.
- III. Dalsey Mae Barekman - B. 2/17/1911 Chandler, Indiana and marries
11/30/1933 to Edward G. Ress who was B. 3/30/1905 in Wash. D. C.
No issue.
- IV. Naomi Vay Barekman - B. 3/29/1913 at Evansville, Indiana and
marries 8/23/1935 to Reger Davis who was B. Murphyboro, Ill.
They have one child.
- A. Regera Davis born in Venice, Illinois 7/5/1938..
- V. Martin LeRay Barekman - B. 10/8/1917 in Chandler,
Indiana and married 3/13/1946 in Washington D. C. to Eleanor
Frinzell Valette B - 7/22/1915 Cherrydale, Virginia. One child.
- A. Valette Eleanor Barekman - B. 11/23/1947. Wash. D. C.
- VI. Sarah Ruth Barekman - B. Marion, Illinois 7/11/1920 and marries
in Washington D. C. to Lester Lucas on 3/13/1936. Lester B.
8/10/1915. Killed April 1945. Battle of the Bulge Patton's 9th
Army... Had one child.
- A. Ruth Ann Lucas - B. 11/24/1937 at Washington D. C.
married Thomas Cooke who was B. 1/26/1936 at Wash. D. C.
Married 6/30/1936. Have three boys:
1. Thomas Cooke - B. 4/28/1957
 2. Ronney Cooke - B. 7/12/1959
 3. Donny Cooke - B. 6/13/1960
- All were born at Church Falls, Virginia



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VI Sarah Ruth Barekman Lucas marries second husband in Washington D. C. 1/24/1949. She marries Arthur Russell Travers who was born 8/15/1909 in Madison, Ma.

They had following issue:

A. Larry Russell Travers - B. 1/24/1949 - Washington D. C.

B. Donna Marie Travers - Born 11/23/1952 and died 11/16/1955 of Leukemia - Washington D. C.

IX. Samuel Barkman (Hamilton) B. 12/13/1822 in Knox County, Indiana. Samuel marries Sarah or Susan _____ 1845. Nothing else known as no other records available. Have one child.

A. Minnie Barekman - B. 1851 . Nothing more known.

Sam Hamilton marries on 8/21/1859 Mary Claycomb: Sam dies 10/27/1860.

A small child dies shortly before Sam. Among Sam's papers are reference to his minor child Alexander. He is placed in the custody of Henry Cauthorn. We do not know if Alexander Henry Barkman belonged to Sam's first or second wife. Mary disappears and no further records. Alexander is taken as a small child to Navarro County, Texas.

B. Alexander Henry Barekman marries Susan Anderson. They had one child:

I. James Samuel Alexander Barekman- B. 9/28/1873 in Navarro County in Texas. Marries 12/31/1899 at Mineral Wells in Texas to Ita Eliza Stone who was B. 1/21/1879 at Mineral Wells in Texas. Ita Eliza died 7/13/1923. James died 3/31/1950 at Stephenville, Texas.

A. Baby girl - B. 10/6/1900 and Died . 10/19/1900

B. Ha Louise Barekman - B. 8/9/1902

C. Charles Alexander Barekman - B. 4/3/1904 and died 3/13/1917.

D. Mary Elizabeth Barekman - B. . 4/1/1907

E. William Harold Barekman - B. 7/22/1909

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- F. Jimmie Virginia Barekman - B. 11/23/1912 and married 9/28/1935 to J. Dixon White of Lubbock, Texas. They have two children:
- I. Kathryn Louise White - B. Brownwood, Texas - 4/26/1938.
Marries at Lubbock, Texas 7/16/1960 to Bob Lee Ford.
 - II. Nancy Virginia White - B. 1/7/1943 at Brownwood, Texas and
Marries 5/8/1960 to Jay Eagan at Tahoka, Texas.
- G. Joseph Anderson Barekman - B. 10/19/1914 - Marries 11/1943 Brody, Texas to Mignon Lawlis who was B. 7/16/1918 in Brody, Texas. They have three children, all born in Brody, Texas.
- I. Carol Barekman - B. 1/21/1948.
 - II. Joe Hal Barekman - B. 1/24/1951
 - III. Janette Barekman - B. 4/2/1954.

Listings

There are a few odd / we are unable to account for.

Melinda Barkman - marries Henry A. Edmatts on December 27th, 1847. The first records of births do not occur until 1861. The numerals were hard to read.

Mary Evans - B. 1861

Clara ?? B 1864

Henry ?? B 1869

Thomas H. Barekman - B. 1867

John Barkman marries Melinda Evans 11/23/1867. Mary Evans may have been born in 1851. And married to John the year of 1867. Then Henry and Thomas H Barekman are their children. Clara may have been born in 1854. We know that Thomas H Barekman lived in Paris, Illinois, did not marry and is a barber. . . .

Some notes on Revolutionary War Soldiers related through marriage to descendants of Knox County, Indiana.

John Seidler was born April, 9- 1760 in Germany. He arrived in Jacksonia from a Kentucky unit. He came with Clark to Fort Vincennes in 1777. His son John Jr. married Margaret Susan Barkman, the second child of Henry Barkman. John Sr. deeded his 250 acres of land in section 17 Taylor Township, to John Jr. He also left John Jr. his "assault looms", and gears and needs. John used his looms to weave his cloths with his neighbors.

Charlotte Jordan who married Abraham Barkman, son of Henry Barkman- was related to Ephraim Jordan and Thomas Jordan. Both who served with Gen George Rogers Clark at Vincennes, and later served as militia men in 1790 at Vincennes. Mr. Walter C. Carpenter, Jr. of 239 North East Street, Lima Ohio is an accredited genealogist on the subject of this.

The Kirk men who marry into the family of Barkmans are elusive. Can any one give me information as to the states these Kirks first lived in, before moving to Knox County, Indiana. There were many Kirks arriving from Virginia- Kentucky- and Pennsylvania.

Who was the father of Lt. John Kirk War of 18123 Knox County, Indiana.



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HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN JUNE 23-1770
JULIAN BARKMAN " IN YEAR 1771
JOHN BARKMAN WAS BORN FEB. 21-1804
MARGARET S. THE DAUGHTER OF HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN JAN. 4-1805
PETER BARKMAN THE SON OF HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN NOV. 14-1807
ABRAHAM BARKMAN WAS BORN MARCH 11-1809
ELIZABETH BARKMAN WAS BORN JAN. 21-1811
JOSHUA BARKMAN WAS BORN NOV. 12-1813
DAVID BARKMAN WAS BORN FEB. 4-1815
HENRY BARKMAN JR. WAS BORN DEC. 21-1816
BROWN BARKMAN WAS BORN JAN. 13-1821
HAMILTON BARKMAN WAS BORN DEC. 13-1822
JULIAN BARKMAN THE DAUGHTER OF J. BARKMAN WAS BORN JAN. 7-1827
HENRY F. BARKMAN WAS BORN OCT. 12-1834
ABRAHAM DIED OCT. THE 20-1841
ROBERT BARKMAN BORN IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD SEPT. 8-1837
ELLEN BARKMAN BORN JUNE 8-1840

SECOND PAIGE FAMILY RECORDS

ANN ELIZA KIRK WAS BORN AUG. 25-1860
SARAH P. KIRK WAS BORN JAN. 8-1835
SAMUEL HAMILTON BARKMAN DIED OCT. 22-1860
ANNE ELIZA BARKMAN WAS BORN MARCH 26-1844
SIDNEY FRANCES BARKMAN DIED AUG. 21-1844

Section C.



JULIA ANN BARKMAN DIED MARCH 5-1863
JOHN WESLEY BARKMAN DEPARTED THIS LIFE FEB. 27-1863
ELIZA BARKMAN DEPARTED THIS LIFE FEB. 20-1872
ELLEN LANGLEY DEPARTED THIS LIFE FEB. 27-1873
HARRIET E. SMITH DEPARTED THIS LIFE APRIL 30-1873

THIRD PAGE FAMILY RECORD

HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN DEC. 21-1816
ELIZA BARKMAN WAS BORN OCT. 13-1819
ELLEN BARKMAN WAS BORN JAN. 18-1840
HARRIET ELIZABETH BARKMAN WAS BORN SEPT. 11-1843
JOHN W. BARKMAN WAS BORN APRIL 2-1846
WILLIAM HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN MARCH 30-1849
ISAAC HARRISS BARKMAN SEPT. 13-1853
JULIA ANN BARKMAN WAS BORN JULY 16-1853 ?
SAMUEL HAMILTON BARKMAN WAS BORN MAY 22-1857
ROSA MAY BARKMAN WAS BORN DEC. 22-1870

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THOMAS LEONARD LANGLEY WAS BORN SEPT. 2-1866
SARAH ELIZA LANGLEY WAS BORN MARCH 15-1868
HENRY C. LANGLEY WAS BORN SEPT. 27-1868
ELIZABETH ELLEN LANGLEY WAS BORN MARCH 8-1871
JOHN WILLIAM LANGLEY WAS BORN SEPT. 23-1872
SARAH E. LANGLEY DEPARTED THIS JULY 17-1868
ELIZABETH ELLEN LANGLEY DEPARTED THIS LIFE MAY 1-1872
MIRIAM N. LANGLEY WAS BORN MARCH, 11-1841
ZORA INDEPENDENCE BARKMAN WAS BORN JAN. 20-1814
ELLEN ELIZA BARKMAN WAS BORN SEPT. 14-1879
HELEN REILLY BARKMAN WAS BORN SEPT. 14-1879
HENRY MOSES BARKMAN WAS BORN JULY 18-1882
LESTER GOULD BARKMAN WAS BORN NOV. 23-1887
DENVER ROY BARKMAN WAS BORN APRIL 20-1889
ZORA INDEPENDENCE BARKMAN DIED SEPT. 22-1874
HENRY MOSES BARKMAN DIED APRIL 6-1885
ELLEN E. BARKMAN DIED OCT. 10-1897
HELEN DIED JUNE 7-1941
ROY DIED JULY 15-1942

Section C.



Samuel Hamilton Estate-Intestate
showing his heirs, and his promise to
support his Mother Julia, and Father
Henry Harrackman, son of Peter
Harrackman. Copied from original papers.
Petition to sell land.

Archibald Bell Miller Son of the estate of Samuel H. Barkman deceased
called Hamilton Barkman, John Barkman, Peter Barkman, Margaret Sawyer,
Alexander Barkman, Daniel Barkman-Elizabeth Kodaris, Henry Barkman,
Anna Barkman, Julia Kirk, Hamilton Barkman, Henry T. Barkman, Ellen
Barkman, Robert Barkman, and Mary Barkman, now at this time occurs the
court in his own proper person, William Deany and appearing to the
satisfaction of the court that here to for on the 6th day of December,
1881 William Deany then the administrator of the estate of the deceased,
filed his petition to sell the Real Estate, of the deceased, his
personal being insufficient to pay his debts, and that afterward on
the 15th day of January 1882, the said Deany filed his amended petition
for the sale of said land, and it also appearing to the satisfaction
of the court that the defendants had been duly notified of the pendency
of said petition by publication and by posting up written notice for more
than thirty days before the first day of the present term of this court,
as required by the statutes in such case made and provided, thereupon the
defendants being three times called, came not, but made default, and
thereupon the plaintiff suggested to the court that the defendant-
Alexander Barkman is a minor under the age of twenty one years, there
upon Harry S. Gauthers is appointed Guardian where on said defendants
now appeared and filed his answer, and thereupon was admitted an
inventory and appraisement of said land made by James W. Williams and
James Westfall two disinterested resident house holders, and free
holders of this county amounting to seventeen hundred and fifty
dollars and thereupon the said administrator filed his additional
bond in double the amount after appraised value of said land, and
then there proved to the satisfaction of the court that it is
necessary to sell all of deceased Real Estate to pay the debts of
deceased. And thereupon Julia Barkman filed her petition or answer
and prayed to be served party defendant to said petition representing
in her said answer that she saw her husband Henry Barkman, now deceased
convey to the deed Samuel H. Barkman, the land in the plaintiff
petition mentioned, and that in consideration thereof the said Samuel
Hamilton Deed made and delivered to him his certain writing obligative
dated the 15th day of November 1880, in the final sum of dollars,
that he the said Samuel Hamilton Barkman show to support him the said
Henry & Julia Barkman, during their natural lives, a copy of which Bond
is filed and made part of said answer, that the said deceased before
his death made no provision for her future maintenance and support is
the said land in the petition subscribed that their is now due where
from the said Hamilton Barkman estate for her necessary support maintenance
the sum of one hundred & thirty six dollars, as per bill of particulars
filed, and that the amount due to her maybe deducted to be a decree
from the said land, and that the amount to decree to her in future to
the extent of the amount of the penalty of the said bond, maybe decreed
to be a decree upon the said land and that the same if ordered to sold
be the said subject to and decree with the amount now due and to become
due to her for her support and maintenance as provided for in the



Said bond, and thereon on the court being fully advised in the premises
finds that the said deceased did execute and deliver
to the said Henry Jackson his deed, and John Jackson's bond in
the county of one thousand dollars, for the purpose for the use in
the said manner alleged, and that there is now due to the said Julia,
or the said bond, for her support and maintain, and so since the death
of the said Daniel Jackson, the sum of one thousand
dollars, six dollars, and six cents is now due to be
paid to the said Julia on said bond, which said bond is located
and described as follows to wit (here copy description in the petition)
and it is further ordered by the court that the said
said bond be sold at the court house door in the city of Vincennes
after giving the requested notice on a writ of six inches and eighteen
lines that the said bond is now due to be paid to the said Julia
bearing of valuation appraisement laws bearing interest year date, and
that the same be sold subject to and charged with the tax of said
said bond and that a full copy of the same being her natural
life is well for the same now and as for the amount to become due to
her as aforesaid, and it is further ordered by the court that if deemed
advisable by the court that he be and he is hereby authorized to substitute
the said bond and sell the bond at public sale, and it is further ordered
by the court that this order be entered upon the court book of this
court this day.



In the name of God Amen --

I John Serzer of the County of Knox and State of Indiana; being in sound mind and understanding: do publish this my last will and testament, as follows. -- I do give unto my lawful and wedded wife Mary, all the Black Horse saddle sheep and hogs, all the potmelle, and all her kitchen furniture; all the Bed and bedding; all the money that she has in her possession; all of which is at her disposal; and my son John is to deliver her the thirds of the income of grain and keep her Stock and riding horse & C; -- I do give unto my son Samuel two hundred and fifty acres of land No. 35 and one hundred and fifty acres to my daughter Rebecca of the same lot both of which are now deeded that to be their full portion -- I do give unto my daughter Sarah one hundred and fifty acres of land lot No. 17 one weaver's loom and gears and reeds & John is to weave an acid loom when he has anything to serve. -- I do give unto my son John 250 Acres of land No. 17, two sets of plow-irons; one rifle gun, three pair of horse gears, two Brickbats; one spreading hoe drawing-knife and Augers -- the grain in the ground to John and my wife -- the waggons to be sold at publick sale - fifty-five dollars I leave to my son John the balance and the third of the orchard to my wife Mary -- I do leave my wife Mary and my Son John for executors.

JOHN SERZER (Seal)

Test

Joseph Williams

Thomas Williams

State of Indiana)

Knox County)

Personally appeared before me the undersigned deputy Clerk of the Knox Circuit Court, William Williams and Joseph Williams and who upon the holy evangelist of Christianity did that they did see the within sign and sealed and declared the within will to be his last will & testament and that they subscribed their names in presence of said testator at his request, and in presence of each other.

For Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 13th day of December 1853

Daniel C. Johnson.

Clerk

Attest my hand

at





INDIANA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



HARMON PRESBYTERIAN CUMBERLAND
Church - HART ST. ROAD



JOHN BARKMAN FAMILY

HISTORY

John Barkman, youngest son of Peter Barrackman of Vincennes, Indiana was born in 1785. It was disputed as to where he was exactly born, but it was established that he either was born in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania or Knox County, Indiana. John served in the War of 1812 and fought the Indians along the Wabash, serving under Col. Ephriam Jordan. John served a term as Sheriff of Knox County - - - and was active in early civic affairs.

John did not apply for a bounty land grant until 1851. At this time no one remained who could witness for him and as a result, he was denied this land. He marries Jane Hanna in July 26, 1810 in Palmyra Township, Knox County in Indiana. John D. 1855; Jane D. 10/11/1846. Both are buried at Indiana Church in Knox County, Indiana. We also know that Jane was born in 1785, the same year as John, but do not know her birthplace. They had the following ten (10) children:

- I. James Barkman - B. 3/17/1811 ---- D. 1843. Remains single.
He left his property to his five (5) brothers. No other information.
- II. Albert G. Barkman - B. 9/5/1813 --- D. 1844. Remains single.
He also leaves his estate to his four (4) brothers and four (4) sisters.
- III. Rebecca Barkman - B. 6/13/1816. Her first marriage is to Isaac Sanders 8/23/1841. No record of death or children.
On 10/21/1847 she marries Ephriam Jordan, who was B. 11/4/1811 and D. 4/12/1872. As Rebecca marries twice and Ephriam three times, we cannot tell definitely what children belong to these marriages.
TO BE INCLUDED IN "KNOX COUNTY, KINFOLKS"
(Chapter on the Jordans)
- IV. Mary Barkman - B. 8/23/1818 - Marries Solomon Thorne 9/13/1832. Solomon born in Pennsylvania. He served as a Militia Man under Col. Francis Vigo and Captain Pierre Gamelin at Fort Vincennes in 1790. Mary may have been his second wife. Mary marries Solomon at 14 years of age. She D. 10/14/1888; Solomon D. 1881. Both are buried in Indiana Presbyterian Church Cemetery. They had the following issue:
 - A. Albert Thorne
 - B. Cladius Thorne
 - C. Eliza B. Williams



JOHN BARKMAN FAMILY

HISTORY

(Continued - Children of Mary Barkman Thorne and Solomon Thorne)

D. Laura D. Thorne

E. Jane B. Thorne

***** Anyone having information on this Family, please write to me. *****

- V. Eliza Barkman - B. 12/20/1820. She marries Alexander Underwood 12/26/1837. No record of Alexander's death or of Eliza's death. No record of children. No records to be found to show they ever lived in Knox County, Indiana after their marriage.

**** I Will Appreciate Information on This Family Group. ****

- VI Joseph R. Barkman - B. 4/7/1822. Remains single. No further information on Joseph other than he leaves his estate to his younger brothers, William H. and John K. and to the heirs of Thomas C. Barkman, his youngest brother.

**** Need research on Joseph who may have gone out West. ****

- VII William H. Barkman - B. 5/8/1824. He marries Julia Lucinda Smith 5/12/1850, who was B. in 1827. William H. - D. 1895. Both are buried at the old Harman Church Site - Hart St. Road in Vincennes, Indiana. William H. and Julia had four (4) children. All born on the old Barkman Farms - - sometimes called the "Gassett" or "Garner" Farms. The Barrackman Chapel was on this land. It was built by the Barkman men. Fire destroyed it at a later date and it was never rebuilt. Trinity Church, which is situated about 1/4 mile away replaced Barrackman Chapel. The surrounding farm families all attended church at Barrackman Chapel. The following are William H. and Julia's

- A. Lyman H. Barkman - B. 1752. Married Margaret Roxana Beckes 10/6/1874. (The Beckes Family are early prominent settlers in Vincennes). Margaret was B. 10/6/1857. She D. 3/2/1881. Lyman D. 11/9/1935/ They had only two (2) girls. Both Lyman and Margaret are buried at Indiana Church. Their Children are.



JOHN BARKMAN FAMILY

HISTORY

(Children of Lyman H. Barkman and Margaret Barker Barkman - Continued)

1. Effie Barkman - B. 3/18/1879 D. 2/27/1881
2. Maud Barkman - B. 1875 Married Frank Dilly 2/16/1897
Frank B. - Bedford, Indiana 12/24/1875 Maud D. 2/19/06
Frank D. - June 1951 Both buried Fairview Cemetery in
Vincennes, Indiana

Frank and Maud Dilly had four (4) children:

- (a) Lyman Dilly - B. 2/18/1898 D. 2/18/1898
- (b) Roscoe Dilly - B. 5/10/1902 - Knox County, Indiana
- (c) Raymond Dilly - B. 4/29/1905
- (d) Mary Roxana Dilly - B. 4/8/1899 Knox County, Indiana
Married Leon Chumlea on 6/31/1921 Leon Chumlea
B. West Lebanon, Indiana 5/1/1897. 'Roxie' and Leon
have two girls:

1. Patricia Ruth Chumlea - B. 8/9/1922 at Lafayette,
Indiana. Patricia served as a hospital technician
in the WAC's during World War II. She married
William Mc Kinney 11/10/1946 at San Antonio,
Texas

2. Judith Ann Chumlea - B. 11/5/1935. Lebanon, Indiana

- B. Hannah J. Barkman - B. 1854 Married James Presnell
8/10/1880 Hannah D. 1912 James D. 1934 Date of
birth unknown. They had three (3) children:

1. Beatie Presnell - D. 1933
2. Albert Presnell - D. 1959
3. Ruby Presnell Gray - Now living in Michigan - Widowed
and husband and two small boys all buried at Old Hartman
Churchyard.

- C. Alexander U. Barkman - B. 6/21/1858 Married Ida Sanders
8/28/1892 Alexander D. 2/4/1912 Ida B. - 9/11/1867 D.
10/3/1946 Both buried at Fairview Cemetery, Vincennes,
Indiana Alexander and Ida had the following children:

1. William Roscoe Barkman - B. 6/15/1893 D. 9/3/1893
2. Julia L. Barkman - B. 3/13/1895 Married 1/24/1929
to George M. Jordan who was B. 1/16/1878 and D.
3/2/1956. No issue.



JOHN BARKMAN FAMILY

HISTORY

(Continued - Children of Alexander U. and Ida Sanders Barkman)

- C. 3. Guy B. Barkman - B. 1/29/1896 -- D. 8/26/1896
4. George Barkman - B. 9/5/1897 - - D. 3/9/1911
5. Goldie Barkman - - B. 8/10/1901 - - Marries 9/21/1932
to Theodore Photopoulos who was born on 8/15/1900.
No issue.
- D. Mary Belle Barkman - - B. 2/20/1863 - - D. 2/3/1925.
Marries Albert Sloc Leech - - 11/24/1892. He was B.
11/27/1859 and D. 6/18/1951. Children of Mary B.
Barkman and Albert S. Leech are:
1. Albert William Leech - B. 9/25/1894 - D. 7/31/1950.
He marries 5/26/1934 to Harriet Grimes who was B.
11/19/1894. She D. 2/2/1942.
 2. Raymond Ernest Leech - B. 11/24/1897. He Marries
Cyrilla Kunkel on 10/16/1928, who was B. 11/11/-1902.
 3. Agnes Lillian Leech - B. 1/24/1901 - - Marries 7/7/1930
to Samuel A. La Coste, who was B. 8/28/1898.

Children of above and their Children - - -

Child of One (1) as Above

Albert W. Leech and Harriet Grimes had one daughter,
Molly Ann - B. 7/7/1935. William Allen was her husband
who she married in May 1955. Their children are
William Michael - B. 5/22/56 - - Douglas Stephen -
B. 4/22/1958 - - - Robert Jeffrey - B. 3/30/1959.

Child of two (2) as above (Children)

Children of Raymond Leech and Cyrilla Kunkel are George
Phillip, B. 2/13/1938 - - - Rae Carolyn, B. 7/29/1935
Married Jerry Lee Goodwin on 6/25/1955. They have one
son, David Allen - B. 11/2/1959.

Child of three (3) as above.

Agnes Leech and Samuel La Coste had one (-1) son,
Mitchell Albert born 7/28/1943 and D. 8/7/1943.

JOHN BARKMAN FAMILY

HISTORY

VIII. John K. Barkman - B. 6/12/1826. Marries 7/6/1857

Sarah A. Soden of Palmyra Township, Knox County in Indiana. Sarah B. 1829. John D. 7/24/1896. Sarah D. 8/2/1909. John and Sarah are buried at Indiana Presbyterian Church. Living with John K. and Sarah in 1860 is the following child - two (2) months old Albert who may have been their child. In 1880, living with John K. and Sarah are Charles West Fall, 12 years old and one year old Lucy Robinson. In Sarah's will no mention is made of these three (3) children. The will is dated 1905.

***** I Need Research on John K. He Was A Successful Business Man: He Had A Lumber Yard And Supplied The Surrounding Country Side With Hardware. He Supplied William H. Barkman With Wood For His Coffin. And Lumber For The Harman Church Building. *****

IX Thomas C. Barkman - B. 6/8/1828. Marries Jane Rachael Kirk 6/20/1850. Jane B. 1829 Thomas D. 1/7/1859. Jane D. 3/14/1891. Both are buried at Indiana Presbyterian Church. They had the following three Children:

- i. Lambert Thomas Barkman - B. 8/29/1852. Married Alice Belle Hess in 12/27/1881. Alice B. 11/14/1859 in Salem County, Indiana. Lambert D. 1/23/1937; Alice D. 1/23/1934. Buried at Fairview Cemetery in Vincennes, Indiana. Has the following issue:
 - A. Olga Marie Barkman - B. 10/4/1882 - D. 10/28/1947. Married Ephriam Walter House of Oak Town, Indiana 1/14/31. Olga Marie Barkman's husband - Ephriam Walter House was born 2/26/1872 and he died 8/16/32.
 - B.
 - B. Carl Kirk Barkman - B. 11/12/1884 - D. 11/19/1918. Married Clara Mahan 1/13/1916. Clara die Champaign, Illinois 1950.



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HISTORY

C. Lyle Ellsworth Barkman - B. 1/24/1887 - D. 6/20/1929

Lyle marries Anna Christina Sorensen on 9/21/1912.

Anna B. 1/12/1884 in Chicago, Illinois. Lyle buried at Mount Olive, Chicago, Illinois. They had two girls:

1. June Beverly Barkman - B. 6/28/1915 in Chicago, Illinois.

Single. (The Compiler of the Barkman Family Record)

2. Shirley Anna Belle Barkman - B. 11/26/1916. Marries Ernest Schrodt Dwire in 1936. Ernest B. 5/5/1918. They had one child:

(a) Shirley Barbara Schrodt - B. 10/13/1937.

Marries Robert Lee Davis. Robert B. 3/4/1935 in Trenton, Tennessee. They have one child:

1. Debra Lee Davis - B. 1/13/1956.

Shirley Barbara and Robert Lee Davis divorced 4/18/1958.

2. (Continued)

Shirley A. Barkman Schrodt - Divorced year of 1940.

Ernest Schrodt Dwire remarried 1941 to Violet Ludwig.

Shirley Schrodt - Marries again William Marshall Freeman, who was B. 12/16/1915. Married in North Dakota 1944.

Divorced. No Issue.

Shirley Freeman - Marries again Robert Mass who was

B. 11/1/1916. The marriage date is April 8, 1949.

No Issue

D. Curran Hess Barkman - B. 8/24/1889. D. 4/4/1910.

E. Lambert Earl Barkman - B. 7/1/1892 - D. 6/18/1916.

F. Rolla Barkman - B. 3/6/1895 - - D. 3/24/1895

G. Leo Barkman - B. and D. 3/24/1896

H. Aileen Maria Barkman - B. 7/12/1897. Marries 6/15/1920

Clements Ray Feagans who was B. 11/6/1896 in Washington County, Indiana. D. 12/5/1958 at Indianapolis, Indiana.

Issue:

1. John Lambert Feagans - B. 6/28/1926 Indianapolis, Indiana. Marries Dona Mae Heitz on 11/30/1947. Dona B. 2/2/1930. Issue:

(a) John Steven Feagans - B. 1/20/1930

(b) John Micheal Feagans - B. 4/17/1951



JOHN BARKMAN FAMILY

HISTORY

1. John Lambert Feagans - Second wife Irma Dora Schydowski, who was B. 1/14/1933. Married 3/1/1958 at Mörfelden - Gross - Germany. Following issue:

- A. Aileen Catherine Feagans - B. 3/29/1959 at Wisbaden, Germany
- B. Fanny Marie Feagans - - B. 6/1/1960 at Indianapolis, Indiana.
- C. Marianna Manuela Feagans - - B. 5/17/1954 at Frankfort, Germany. The daughter of Irma by her first husband and adopted by John Lambert Feagans.

1. Service Record of John Lambert Feagans

U. S. Navy - - Enlisted 2/14/1943; Assigned to the U. S. S. Gemini Attack Transport. Saw action at Guam, Saipan, Tarawa, Philippines and Okinawa. Honorably discharged 1/26/1946. John then joined the United States Air Force 12/17/1954 where he was assigned Rhein - Main A-B. Frankfort, Germany and Dharakan A. B. Saudi Arabia. Discharged 7/1/1960.

- I. Lois Belle Barekman - B. 7/31/1900. D. 3/16/1901

- J. Garnet Mildred Barekman - B. 8/29/1902. D. 5/6/1904.

Note: When Alice Belle Hees was a young child, she was taken to

Knox County, Indiana from Salem County, Indiana in a wagon drawn by oxen. Her husband Lambert Thomas Barekman sold fruit trees all over Southern Indiana. In my travels to gather all this data, I was often told Lambert would sit down to lunch in one county and dinner in another, quite an accomplishment - - quite fast travel in those days!!!

2. Curren M. Barekman - B. 8/18/1854. Married Mattie Price 11/14/1883. Curren - D. 5/7/1926. Mattie - - B. 12/20/1861 and D. 8/4/1951 at 90 years of age. No Issue. Both buried Fairview Cemetery in Vincennes, Indiana.

3. Isabell Haslett Barekman - B. 10/5/1856. Married William Finney Thorne 3/5/1877. William B - 9/2/1859; D. 10/6/1905. Isabell D. 10/20/1941. Had the following children:

- A. Emery Curtis Thorne - B. 7/12/1873
- B. Percy Raymond Thorne - B. 4/13/1881
- C. Nellie Corine Thorne - B. 6/30/1884
- D. Pansy Geraldine Thorne - B. 11/27/1889



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HISTORY

- **E. Tracy Landers Thorne - B. 7/12/1894
- F. Stacey Sue Thorne - B. 7/12/1894
- G. Ena Mae Thorne - B. 3/3/1900
- **E. Tracy Thorne marries Mattie Estelle Bruce who was B. 12/6/1896. They have the following issue:
 - I. Leland Bruce Thorne - B. 6/12/1914. Marries Celelea Eleanor Barr who was B. 12/19/1915.
 - A. Marilyn Sue Thorne - B. 1/15/1938. Marries Dennis Joseph Collins who was B. December, 1937.
 - 1. Dennis Joseph Collins - B. 9/15/1956
 - 2. Mark John Collins - B. 4/13/1957
 - 3. James Bruce Collins - B. 4/13/1957
 - 4. Timothy Benedict Collins - B. 4/13/1957
 - 5. Timothy Joseph Collins - B. 8/26/1959
 - B. Janet Louise Thorne - B. 12/16/1939
Marries Frank Davenport who was B. July, 1937.
 - C. Judith Marie Thorne - B. 10/16/1942
D. -- 10/18/1942
 - D. John Robert Thorne - B. 9/30/1943
 - E. Mary Jo Thorne - B. 3/21/1945
 - F. James Anthony Thorne - B. and D. -- 2/13/1947
 - G. Margaret & Mary Thorne - B. and D. 12/7 & 8/1947
 - H. Thomas Joseph Thorne - B. and D. 3/9/1949
 - I. Michael Gerald Thorne - B. & D. 3-8-9/1950
 - J. Paul Anthony Thorne - B. 4/1/1953.
 - K. Thomas Gerald Patrick Thorne - B. & D. 3/18/1954
 - L. John James Bruce Thorne - B. & D. 1/14/1956
 - II. Allen Tracy Thorne - B. 4/7/1916. Marries Beulah Margaret Carver who was B. 7/15/1916.
 - A. Mary Ann Thorne - B. 5/31/1939
 - B. Steven Allen Thorne - B. 1/20/1941



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HISTORY

- III. Alice Lorraine Thorne - B. 1/16/1918. Married William Robert Lind who was B. 4/27/1909.
 - A. Sharon Kay Lind - B. 12/24/1941.
 - B. Brenda Sue Lind - B. 9/25/1949.
- IV. William Edward Thorne - B. 9/14/1920. Married Jean Catherine Anderson who was B. 2/15/1924.
 - A. Russell Edward Thorne - B. 7/12/1945.
 - B. William Kevin Thorne - B. 11/30/1950.
- V. Sue Evelyn Thorne - B. 3/31/1930 - Married Bill Lee Clark who was B. 5/15/1927.
 - A. Mark Alan Clark - B. 6/2/1958.

The Thorne and Bruce families are also very early settlers in Vincennes. Both families have kin who saw service in the Revolutionary War, The Vincennes Militia of 1790, Wars of 1812, various Indian Wars along the Wabash and War of the Rebellion. These families will be treated fully in "KNOX COUNTY KIN".

- X. Sarah Barkman - B. 1839. Early court papers show Sarah married to ?? Johnson. We can find no trace of records on Sarah nor do we find knowledge of where they lived, died or if they had issue. Information will be appreciated.

NOTE: The sons of John Barkman were all farmers - farming the large areas along the Deahle River bottoms. In addition to this, they were all active in wood carving, cabinet making and in selling. (Original spelling - cabinie)



JOHN BARKMAN FAMILY

HISTORY

NOTE: John K. Barkman handled all legal matters for his kin. Albert successfully brought and sold land and grain as did his brother, James. William H. was a coffin maker and designed beautiful hand carved coffins for the community. William and John K. also did the scroll work on the Barrackman Chapel. William H. made the pews in the Old Harman Church. Today - - - many beautiful cabinets made by William H. Barkman still grace Barrackman homes. It is known that Joseph R. and Thomas C. were deeply religious men and had aspired to study for the ministry. Due to hardships and large land holdings taking up their time, these men were unable to fulfill this desire.



John Barkman Family History

Notes:

- XII. Rebecca Barkman 1st marriage to Isaac Sanders. Does any one know what family branch of Sanders, Isaac was related to? Moses Sanders served in the Revolutionary War from Pennsylvania. He died in Vincennes in 1812. He may have been father to Isaac. Rebecca married Ephraim Jordan. Can any one tell me the names of their children?
- IV. Solomon Thorne's father Michael Thorne served in the war of the Revolution from Pennsylvania. The Thornes' were one large family group. Most of Solomon's brothers were Militia Men in 1790 in Vincennes. They were early settlers in Harrison-Johnson and Decker Townships, Knox County, Indiana. Were active in early civic affairs. Owned huge areas of land.
- VII William B. Barkman section "D" = daughter Mary Belle Barkman who married Albert Silas Leech. Al Leech's grand dad was Rev. War soldier George Leech. The Leech's came from Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. They also had early land grants given them in the form of the River Decker in 1795. I would be interested in knowing more about each Leech families in Pennsylvania, and Knox County, Indiana.



I, John Barkman of the County of Knox and State of Indiana, do hereby certify that this my last will and Testament is hereby made and signed and all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made, I direct that my body be decently buried and that my funeral be conducted in a manner conforming with my Estate and situation in life, and as to such worldly Estate as it has pleased God to entrust me with, I dispose of the same in the manner following to-wit: I direct first that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first money that may come to the hands of my sons. The balance of my personal Estate I give and bequeath to my four sons to-wit: Joseph R. Barkman, Thomas G. Barkman, John R. Barkman and William R. Barkman, Twenty Four dollars each thereof which I direct to be given as follows: One dollar I bequeath to Rebecca Jordan my daughter and to my daughter Mary Ann, I bequeath One dollar, and to my daughter Eliza Underwood, I bequeath One dollar and to my daughter Sarah Jackson, I bequeath One dollar. Secondly I give and bequeath to my Sons William R. Barkman and Joseph R. Barkman their heirs and assigns forever: to be equally divided between them all that certain tract of land known as the Cassatt Farm situated in the County of Knox and State of Indiana on the North Part of the River Duchesne and containing One Hundred acres. Thirdly I give and bequeath to my two Sons John R. Barkman and Thomas G. Barkman their heirs and assigns forever, to be equally divided between them the tract of land on which I now reside containing about One Hundred and Thirty Seven acres-- Fifty two acres and fifty six tenths of which I purchased of Abraham Barkman and five being part of Survey No. 2 in Town 2, North Range 10 West-- the balance of Eighty five acres and Thirteen and One half Poles was set apart to me in the Division of my Father's Estate. Reference to said Division in the Knox Probate Court will more fully show. Provided the said Sons R. Barkman and Thomas G. Barkman shall maintain support and comfortably provide for me till my death.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I John Barkman the Testator have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Fifteenth Day of September, 1855

John Barkman

WITNESSES

Joe Caldwell (Married to Rebecca Barkman 12-23-1807)
John Adams



Bible of John Barkman Born 1785
of Knox County, Indiana.

The
New Testament
of
Our Lord and Savior
Jesus Christ
Translated
out of the original Greek
and
with the former Translations
Diligent by Compared and Revised
Boston
Printed for Lincoln and Edmunds
Sold at their Bible ware house, no. 35, Cornhill
W. Greenough Printer
1817.

Front of Book

John Barkmans book Jan. 13-1833

I do not know why he has not added his last child born in 1830. Some
front pages of Bible are missing.

James Barkman was born March the 17-1812
Albert G. Barkman was born September 5-1814
James Barkman _____
Rebecca Barkman born June 13-1816
Mary Barkman born August 23-1818
Elihu Barkman born December 16-1820
Joseph D. Barkman born April 7-1822
William H. Barkman born May 8-1824
John E. Barkman born June 12-1825
Thomas C. Barkman born June 8-1828

In the back of bible is the following

"The year of Jubilee has come- rejoice ye sinners, and these
dates are added

James Barkman was born March 17-1811
Albert Barkman born Sept. 5-1813
(a change in dates = one year earlier)

This Bible is owned by John Barkmans great- great- grand daughter

June B. Barkman
1554 W. George St.
Chicago 41, Illinois

Section D



A true and perfect Sale Bill of the personal Estate of Thomas C. Barkman as made by John K. Barkman administration of said estate at the late residence of said decedent in Knox County Indiana on Saturday the 19 day of February A.D. 1859 on a credit of 12 months on all sums over three dollar by the purchaser given his note with approved security with intrese from date waving valuation and apprement laws three dollars and under cash in hand and as kept by George F. Westfall chosen as clerk of said sale.

purchasers names

Articles sold with amount in \$

W. M. Pea	one Bureau	13 00
W. M. Pea	one picture in frame	1 00
J. M. Milam	One small Stand	1 25
John K. Barkman	1 pair Black Smith tongs	25
W. M. Pea	2 stove pans and 2 stove pots	30
George H Westfall	4 old chairs	15
George H. Westfall	wash stand 2 Barrels 2 draws	10
W. M. Barkman	Molasses jug tar bucket	15
J. H. Westfall	1 meal sack	35
J. H. Westfall	old stove, Hand Iron	10
W. M. Barkman	old Barrels Saddle on bed	75
Fred Myers	one chopen axe paid	05
Arion Hughes	1 half bushel	30
W. M. Pea	Whit stone and hammer and nail	15
J. K. Barkman	3 steen Bones	50
Henry Gravel	1 Left Holo grouse	5 25
W. M. Barkman	Black Smith axvill	10
Henry Gravel	1 Lot of old Irons	4 00
Henry Gravel	1 Lot Screw Bolts	1 70
John Barkman	1 Lot Screw Bolts	1 50
Henry Gravel	1 mill spindle, Driver	5 00
Henry Gravel	1 sunkel. Shaft	1 75
John K. Barkman	1 1/2 Iron tooth travrous	1 45
Henry Wis	1 pair mill stone 13	50 00
James Campbell	1 pair mill stone L hdl	6 00
John Barkman Egan	1 ox yoke	50
Henry Gravel	1 pair 2 horse	1 20
J. P. Conley	1 Lot of old cutlerys	20
W. M. Pea	1 Set Waggon haves	10 30
John Westfall	1 ----- Stone	1 40
John Westfall	2 Augurs	30
John K. Barkman	1 hand axe	60

\$110 35

Amount Carried

Amount brought up \$110 35

John Barkman	1 Drawing Knife	90
John Barkman	3 Shisels	1 00
P. E. Rowanin	3 plains	2 15
W. M. Pea	2 Squares, comus	15
R. F. Ramsey	1 sheep shovel	50

W. M. Millam	1 shovel	30
P. H. Donavin	2 pitch forks	65
Moses Rue	1 Large Bays	1 00
David Hewitt	1 2 horse plow	4 90
John Barkman	1 1 horse Plow	4 60
W. M. Pea	1 Set Buggy harness	5 00
John K. Barkman	1 Sgtho. cradle	2 25
Henry Gravel	1 Lot of ?	17 00
Nicholas Canjeau	1 Lot of Scautlory	6 50
Same	1 Lot of short joice	2 00
John Hitchen	1 Lot scautbing	50
James Rhedewal	1 Lot of plank	70
Alick Halter	1 Lot of Plank	1 25
John M. Cook	1 Saw carage	1 10
Moses Rue	1 Lot of old -----?	25
John Hitchen	Running gears of grust mill	20 00
Honidrick Cragen	frame of grust mill	7 05
Aaron Roll	frame of saw mill	27 00
Aaron Roll	frame of stable	30 00
Moses Rue	1 crow barr	60
W. W. Millam	1 lot of clabboards	3 25
I. M. Cook	1 lot of elevators	65
W. M. Millam	4 Doors	1 80
W. M. Pea	1 horse Buggy	70 00
Lease Biggs	2 Bridles	1 10
Michael Kirk	1 Sorel Horse	101 00
David Roll	1 2 horse Wagon	30 00
W. M. Millam	1 hay Rack	2 05
John Barkman	1 Sley	55
Aaron Roe	1 Drier Sgtho	80
W. M. Millam	1 Log chain	1 05

Amount Carried up \$461.25

Hamilton Barkman	1 Long Spotted cow	40 50
George Wyatt	hald face cow	13 50
James Campbell	red cow crumpli horn	13 75
George Wyatt	spotted Bull	5 75
Patrick Coniven	1 Brundle bull	5 25
George Kirk	1 Ball face bull calf paid	5 00
Charley Carter	18 geese	4 00
W. M. Millam	hand saw	1 95
John K. Barkman	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ of shingle ?	25 00
James Kirk	2000 Shingles	4 00
William Pea	2000 Shingles	4 00
James Kirk	2000 Shingles	4 40
W. M. Pea	2000 Shingles	4 20
W M Pea	2000 Shingles	4 70
Wm Pea	2500 Shingles	5 25
John K. Barkman	1 Lot Shingles Blocks	5 00
W H Barkman	1 lot Lumber	80
Henry Rhedewal	1 mill race	4 25
L. P. Cook	1000 cut Saw paid	1 75
Henry Gravel	1 Lough	10



J. K. Barkman
John Barkman

1 lot stockclover seed
2 gunnols

\$ 00
1 00

Total amount of Sal bill

\$622.13

\$622.13

Given under my hand this 19 of February 1859

Clerk

William Denny

Apprassers

George Westfall

William Pea



The Holy Bible
 Containing Old & New Testaments
 Translated out of The Original Tongues
 And with The Former, translations debgeutly
 compared and revised

New York Bible Society
 Instituted in the Year
 1885. Nonparel-12 mo.

Presented

To

Belle H. By her husband
 Nov. 14, 1884

Lambert Thomas Barekman
 and
 Alice Bell Hess,
 was
 Married Dec. 29th 1881
 By Rev. O. E. Hort.

Lambert Thomas Barekman
 Born
 Aug. 29th 1852, Harrison
 Township Knox County Indiana.

Lambert Thomas Barekman
 Died=
 Nov. 23rd 1927

Alice Bell Hess
 Born
 Nov. 14th 1859 Salem County,
 Indiana
 Came as a child to Knox County
 in Ox cart in wagon driven by Ox.

Alice Belle Hess Barekman
 Died
 Jan 23rd 1934

Children to this union

1. Olga Marie Barekman
 Born Oct. 4th 1882
 Died Oct. 28th 1947
2. Carl Kirk Barekman
 Born Nov. 12 1884
 Died No. 19th 1918
3. Lyle Elmerth Barekman
 Born Jan 24th 1887
 Died June 15th 1929
4. Curran Hess Barekman
 Born Oct 24th 1889
 Died Apr. 4th 1910
5. Lambert Earl Barekman
 Born July 1st 1892
 Died June 18th 1916

6. Rolla Barekman
 Born Mar. 6th 1895
 Died in Infancy Mar. 24th 1895
7. Leo Barekman
 Died in Infancy Apr. 24th 1896
8. Aileen Maria Barekman
 July 12th 1897
9. Lois Belle Barekman
 July 31st 1900
 Mar. 16th 1901 (8mos.)
10. Girnat Mildred Barekman
 Aug 29th 1902
 May 6 1904 (20mos.)

